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I. W. W. AGITATION MEANS ANARCHY

American Divine Links Its Propaganda Work With System in Russia.

EXPLAINS SLAV RULE

Re. G. A. Simons, Recently Returned From Petrograd, Tells Senate Committee Government Is Military Dictatorship.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The Bolshevik regime in Russia was described by the Rev. G. A. Simons in testimony before the senate committee investigating lawless agitation in the United States, as a minority military dictatorship supported by terrorism.

Dr. Simons, who for many years has been head of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Russia, said most of the Bolshevik leaders were Jews, many from the East Side of New York and that they had set aside large sums for the spread of their doctrine in all the countries of the world.

Links I. W. W. and Bolshevik.

The I. W. W. movement in this country was said by Dr. Simons to be identical with the Bolsheviks' system. Bolshevik propaganda apparently is being carried on in the United States, Dr. Simons said, by means of speakers, pamphlets and articles in newspapers and magazines. He declared that John Reed and Albert Rhys Williams, American writers, had been closely affiliated with the Bolshevik government in Russia. The witness said publishers of Bolshevik literature in the United States included the Rand School of Social Science in New York, Charles H. Kerr & Co., Chicago; The Socialist Literature company, New York, and Novymir, a Russian newspaper in New York.

Close to Bolshevik Leaders.

Dr. Simons, whose headquarters were in Petrograd before he fled the country last October, told the committee that John Reed and his wife, Louise Bryant, were very close to the Bolshevik leaders in Petrograd. Reed was described as "persona grata to the Bolshevik government so that that wanted to make him consul general in New York."

"Was he regarded by Americans there as American or Bolshevik?" questioned Senator King of Utah.

"As a Bolshevik," replied the witness. "There were a number of American Bolshevik sympathizers there. We referred to them as 'mushheaded middleheads.'"

Albert Rhys Williams frequently participated in Bolshevik meetings, Dr. Simons said, and "was heart and soul with them, speaking in very tender terms of them."

CALLS BOLSHEVISM MENACE

Minnesota Governor Delivers an Address at Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 13.—That the prophecy of Lincoln, made before the Civil war, of ill-omen for the nation, resulting from increasing disregard for law and the disposition to substitute the wild passion in lieu of the sober judgment of courts and the worse than savage mobs for the executive ministers of justice, again is being fulfilled by the spirit of Bolshevism, was the declaration of Governor Burnquist of Minnesota, principal speaker at Lincoln memorial observances of the Republican club of Seattle.

FINAL ACTION IS DEFERRED

Senate Fails to Reach Vote on War Revenue Bill.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Final action on the conference report of the \$6,000,000,000 war revenue bill was deferred by an early adjournment of the Senate in observance of the birthday anniversary of Abraham Lincoln. This unexpected move came after Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, senior Republican of the conferees, had precipitated a general debate with a three-hour attack on what he termed extravagance and waste of appropriations since the war began.

While promising the revenue measure his support, the Pennsylvania senator said it taxed the country about to the breaking point and asserted that the American people were "alarmed if not disgusted by congressional appropriations."

DRINK TO KAISER'S HEALTH

Interned German Officers Express Wish for His Restoration.

Berne, Feb. 13.—German officers interned in Switzerland celebrated the birthday of the former emperor at Lucerne, all of them drinking to his health, his early return to Germany and restoration to his former power. They then drafted a telegram to Amerongen which is said to have been so insulting to the Allied nations that the telegraph office refused to accept it.

BENJAMIN IDE WHEELER

President of the University of California Resigns.



The resignation of President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California was presented to a meeting of the University board of regents at San Francisco.

LOOKING INTO FUTURE

Belgium Seeks Safety From German Aggression.

Asks Peace Conference for Slice of Territory Now in Possession of Germany.

Paris, Feb. 13.—The supreme council has the Belgian peace claims, which include a demand for the return to Belgium of territory held by Germany, in addition to restitution of certain territory held by Holland, and request for free navigation of the Scheldt.

The German district demanded at Montjoie and Malmédy, just east of the present Belgian-German border. The population of these districts is mainly Walloon and their possession by Belgium, it was pointed out, would deprive Germany of an outlet for a new invasion of Belgium.

The Allied powers, according to international experts, face these two vital problems:

Imposition of sufficiently restrictive measures of Germany to remove any possibility of her renewing the war.

Tempering the peace settlement both as regards Germany and Russia to prevent these countries from entering an alliance that would be a permanent menace to world peace.

French Propose Huge Military Police Force

BY ROBERT J. BENDER.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Paris, Feb. 13.—The question of the establishment of a huge international military and naval police force under the league of nations, was to be threshed out at today's meeting of the league committee. The proposal is understood to have been submitted by the French. American and British delegates are said to oppose it. The belief was expressed that the discussion of this new article might prevent the acceptance of the constitution today, and thus eliminate the possibility of presenting the draft to the general peace congress tomorrow. President Wilson plans to leave Paris for home tomorrow night, but if the committee fails to reach agreement today he will have to wait until Sunday night.

The proposal for a big international army and navy is said to have been included in one of the two new articles proposed by the French. It can be stated on the highest authority that the report circulated in Paris yesterday that America and the British had agreed to the plan for an international police force was unfounded.

League Not Completed Before President Leaves

(By United Press)

Paris, Feb. 13.—President Wilson in his address to members of the French association for a society of nations at Murat palace indicated he was convinced that work on the league of nations will not be completed before his return to the United States. "I am confident that after my return to France we will celebrate its completion, or at least it will be in an advanced stage," he said.

Foch Goes With New Armistice Terms

(By United Press)

Paris, Feb. 13.—Marshal Foch was to leave for Treves today with the new conditions on which the extension of the armistice will be based. It is understood they provide that Germany may obtain food from the allies after the devastated countries have been supplied. The terms are understood to provide for the strengthening of military pressure on Germany, and to embrace what will ultimately be an important part of the actual peace treaty.

President Wilson May Leave for Home Friday



Youngest U. S. Doughboy
Back as Stowaway, Held
Here on Mother's Pleas



Lots of things have been crowded into the life of Private Charles F. Kavaney, said to have been the youngest American soldier in the world war. He will be seventeen years old in May. He enlisted in 1916, saw service on the Mexican border and went to France with his regiment in June, 1917. He went over the top several times, saw all but eight of his 217 comrades fall, was cited for bravery, left his regiment, went to Brest and stowed away on a home-coming transport. When he arrived at New York he would have been sent back for trial had not his mother convinced Adjutant-General McCann that he should intercede. He is being held there until his case is further investigated.

King Ferdinand of Roumania Wounded

(By United Press)

Copenhagen, Feb. 13.—King Ferdinand was wounded when the royal palace at Bucharest was bombed by the Rumanian revolutionaries, says a Vienna dispatch. The royal family it is reported, attempted to flee to Jassy, but workmen prevented them. The revolution is spreading throughout the country.

BUTTE STRIKE INDORSED

American Federation of Labor Unions Favor Miners.

Action Adds to Complication of Labor Situation—Smelters Expected to Close.

Butte, Mont., Feb. 13.—Complications of the labor situation in Butte have been increased by indorsement by the Silver Bow Trades and Labor assembly and American Federation of Metal Mine Workers' union (independent) and Metal Mine Workers' union No. 800 of the Industrial Workers of the World.

This development and the expected early closing of the smelters at Anaconda and Great Falls, which the Anaconda Copper Mining company officials say is inevitable, unless ore production should resume immediately, broadens the field of the labor controversy.

No American Federation of Labor union yet has voted to strike in sympathy with the miners. The electricians, machinists, blacksmiths and structural iron workers, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, have taken cognizance of the strike, voting against working for the mining companies until the controversy with the miners is settled.

The engineers' unions, the largest in Butte, will meet to hear the report of the committee appointed to recommend what action the engineers should take.

The arrival of a machine gun detachment from Camp Lewis, Major A. M. Jones, commander of the 44th Infantry detachment in Butte, explained was in compliance with his request for reinforcements. Soldiers now here, because of their lack of numbers, have been required to work long hours on guard duty, he said.

Withdrawal of Troops First Question Discussed

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 13.—The withdrawal of the United States and allied troops from Northern Russia and Siberia will be the first question before the proposed allied-Russian session at Princes Island, diplomats understood today.

Revolutionary Demonstrations in Bucharest

(By United Press)

Copenhagen, Feb. 13.—A revolutionary demonstration was suppressed by troops in Bucharest, say Berlin dispatches to the Tidende. The dispatch said the crowds attempted to storm King Ferdinand's motor car but the troops forced the crowds back.

General Session of Peace Congress This Week Doubtful

(By United Press)

Paris, Feb. 15.—Whether a general session of the peace conference will be held this week was still doubtful today at the conclusion of this morning's meeting of the league of nations committee. Seven articles of the redraft of the constitution had been completed. The question of an international force proposed by the French had not been reached when the committee resumed its session at three-thirty this afternoon.

Pittsburg Bank Closed By Examiner

(By United Press)

Pittsburg, Feb. 13.—The Park bank of Pittsburg, with deposits totaling more than two million two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, was closed by the state bank examiner because of alleged defalcations on the part of an employee.

Arrested for Threatening the President

(By United Press)

Cleveland, Feb. 13.—Pietro Pierre will be arraigned next Wednesday on the charge of threatening the life of President Wilson and the cabinet members.

Crowder Renominated Judge Advocate Gen.

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 13.—Major General Enoch Crowder was today renominated by President Wilson as judge advocate general for four years.

Former Secretary of Treasury and Movie Star Who Induced Him to Take \$100,000 Job



"From Secretary of the Treasury and Director General of Railroads to the Movies" is what the screen-caption writer would flash before this picture was shown. He would be almost right. In this photograph are seen William G. McAdoo, who left President Wilson's cabinet because he could not live on the \$12000 a year salary, he said; Mrs. McAdoo

REAR ADMIRAL HOOD

Retired Naval Officer Dies at Annapolis, Md.



Rear Admiral John Hood, United States navy, retired, died at the Naval hospital at Annapolis, Md., of Bright's disease. Admiral Hood was in his sixty-second year and made his home in Annapolis.

FAVOR LIMITING ARMY

Some House Members Object to Over 175,000 Men.

Leaders Refuse to Predict When Vote Will Be Taken on Appropriation Bill.

Washington, Feb. 13.—General opposition to a standing army in excess of 175,000 men as authorized in the national defense act three years ago was voiced in the house bill in debate on the annual army appropriation bill with its provision for a military force of 536,000 officers and men during the period of demobilization.

Chairman Dent of the Military committee was questioned closely as to the future army, several members asking if the force provided in the bill was to be the permanent army strength. The chairman explained that it was not, and there was general applause from both sides of the house when Representative McKenzie, of Illinois, Republican, said the Military committee favored a small army.

Mr. McKenzie said the proposal of the army general staff for a permanent peace-time military establishment of 500,000 had been rejected by the committee and Representative Kahn of California, Republican, interrupted to say that not a single member of the committee favored the proposal.

Leaders offer no prediction as to when a vote would be taken on the measure, which carries a total of \$1,100,000,000 for the War department during the fiscal year beginning next July 1.

Scrappy Pair.
"I was single, and had a dog's life," said the widower. "I married and had a cat and dog's life."—Exchange

WANT WILSON TO ACT AS ARBITOR

Serbian Delegates Ask President to Decide Their Boundary With Italy.

CONSIDER ARMISTICE

Pershing, Foch and Haig Meet With War Council to Discuss Terms of Extension—Plans for Reparation Outlined.

Paris, Feb. 13.—In addition to Marshal Ferdinand Foch, Marshal H. P. Petain and Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, General J. J. Pershing and General Diaz attended the session of the supreme war council to deal with the terms for the renewal of the armistice.

Paris, Feb. 13.—A note signed by N. P. Pachitch, former Serbian premier; M. Trumbitch, president of the Jugo-Slav committee in Paris, and Dr. M. R. Vesnitch, Serbian minister to France, the three Jugo-Slav delegates to the peace conference, has been received by President Wilson asking him to act as arbitrator in their dispute with Italy regarding the frontier along Istria and the Adriatic.

This is in consequence of the president's last interview on this question with M. Trumbitch and Premier Victoriano Orlando of Italy. M. Trumbitch claimed all of Istria, Fiume and Dalmatia.

Russ Conference Chances Improve.
Prospects are brightening for the assembling of at least four of the Russian factions at the conference on the Princes' Islands.

Word has come from the Ukraine that the government of that former part of Russia will participate and it is reported that the government of General Denikine has indicated a desire to join the conference. The government of Crimea already has accepted the invitation as has the Bolshevik government. Success, however, is believed to depend upon the willingness of the soviet to give certain guarantees such as the cessation of hostilities and the withdrawal of the Bolshevik forces from the provinces which they have invaded. It is by no means certain that the soviet government will agree to any such guarantees.

Three Plans for Reparation.

The reparation commission of the peace conference has before it, according to the Temps, three propositions as a basis for the settlement of claims against Germany. It is said the French propose to assess against Germany all damages to property, national and individual, from the war. In addition to France's outlay for military purposes, The British plan, proposed by Premier Hughes of Australia, differs from the French only that he gives no preference to any class of claims.

The American plan opposes any demands, except losses from pillage and devastation by German armies, it is said.

Total claims under the first two plans are estimated at \$200,000,000,000. The American plan would reduce the total to an amount Germany probably will be able to pay.

HINES MAKES SUGGESTION

Asks Labor Leaders to Lay Grievances Before Rail Board.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Director General Hines has suggested to labor leaders that instead of asking legislation affecting working conditions from state legislatures, they take up desired changes with the Railroad administration, so that state governments may not be put in a position of controlling the national government.

Mr. Hines said that union leaders had expressed approval of the suggestion.

OPERATING EXPENSES CUT

Railroads in Central West Saved Considerable Money.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Estimated annual economies of \$6,442,618.84 were effected by consolidation of switching, car inspection service, lines, stations, re-routing of freight trains and other means, according to the annual report of Hale Holden, railroad director of the Central Western region, made public, showing also an increase of 173 per cent in operating revenue.

Cotton Crop May Be Cut

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 13.—A call for a general meeting to be held in New Orleans Feb. 22 when a definite effort will be made to reduce by one-third the cotton acreage in all Southern states has been made here at a meeting of representatives of agricultural, commercial, financial and industrial interests of Texas. The governors of all cotton growing states will be asked to issue a proclamation setting aside Feb. 22 as pledge day and all farmers will be asked to pledge themselves to reduce their acreage.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:

Mild, snow flurries possible.
Co-operative observer's record, 6
P. M.—
Feb. 12, maximum 30, minimum
22. Reading in evening, 29. North-
east wind. Cloudy.
Feb. 13, minimum during night,
29.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

For Spring Water phone 284. If
Miss Nell Conliff of Pequot was
visiting in Brainerd.

Mrs. W. F. Dieckhaus returned to-
day from a visit in Pillager.

Wanted—Apprentice girl at the
Gardner Hat Shop. 21513

Mrs. W. J. Zimmerman went to
Chicago today for a visit with friends
and relatives.

H. T. Rogers of Deerwood, known
all over the iron range as "Chemical"
Rogers, was in Brainerd today.

Dr. C. A. Nelson went to Merri-
field this afternoon to examine a car-
load of cattle for shipment to Iowa.

For bargains in houses and lots,
see J. R. Smith Sleeper Block. 2251f

Dr. C. G. Nordin has bought the
residence of C. B. White at 422 North
Fourth street and will make it his
home.

Joseph Murphy fell and broke his
leg while in St. Paul and is now be-
ing treated at the local railway hos-
pital.

Mrs. A. D. Cater of Pine River is
a guest of her son and daughter-in-
law, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cater of the
Imperial block.

Rev. George Herbold of this city
and Presiding Elder Plantikow held
services and quarterly conference at
Grace church in Pequot.

Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month.
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

NOTICE

Aurora Lodge will confer
the Fellowcraft Degree,
Friday, Feb. 14th at 7:30
P. M.

The coat sale advertised in Dis-
patch columns and through handbills
by the Jones store has drawn trade
from as far north as Pine River.

Parker Waite of Ontario, Canada,
former Brainerd resident, is a guest
of his son-in-law and daughter, Al-
derman and Mrs. Fremont Turcotte.

Mrs. H. McGinn returned to her
home in Brainerd Tuesday after a
visit with Dr. and Mrs. H. G. McGinn
of this city.—Aitkin Independent
Ago.

Dance at Finnish hall Saturday,
Feb. 15th. Music by Blue Ribbon
orchestra. 21513

Mrs. Ole Sapre came down from
Brainerd this morning to receive med-
ical treatment for complications due
to an attack of influenza.—Little Falls
Transcript.

Miss Rose Anderson of Solway was
in Bemidji yesterday, enroute to
Brainerd where she will attend the
Brainerd Business College.—Bemidji
Daily Pioneer.

The Women's Benefit Association
of the Maccabees will have a Food
Sale at Sorenson's Jewelry store, 7th
street, Saturday, February 15th, be-
ginning 2:30. 21412

Harold Nelson, employed by the
Brainerd Motor Co., injured his hand
quite badly when a hammer he was
wielding slipped. One finger was

nearly severed and several were bad-
ly bruised.

Dilly-dally people never amount to
anything. Show your enterprise and
ambition by taking a business course
in the Brainerd Commercial College,
"Minnesota's Best Business College."
Write or call for our particulars. 21512

Unity Lodge I. O. O. F. observed
the anniversary of Lincoln's birth at
the regular meeting held last night.
Because of initiatory work the exer-
cises were short. Several short talks
were given by members and visitors.

Frank Dufort returned this after-
noon from Brainerd, where he had
been to visit his nephew, Irving Ger-
main, who submitted to an operation
on Monday for appendicitis. Mr.
Germain is getting along nicely.—
Little Falls Transcript.

All accounts due Johnson Brothers
should be paid promptly, as the firm
is closing out its business. Until fur-
ther notice accounts should be paid
at the present store location. 21516

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Dahlvang and
son left for Brainerd Saturday where
they will make their home in the fu-
ture. Mrs. Dahlvang has been stay-
ing at the home of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. A. B. Anderson, while her
husband has been in camp at New-
port, Ore.—Verndale Sunday.

A remarkable exhibition of water
pipe is in the window of Levant &
Ott's store where the water and light
board shows pipe which had been in
service 25 years. One section of pipe
five feet long carried fourteen clamps.
The display is made as an object les-
son of the need of new water pipe and
other improvements asked by the
board.

Oh, Boys! Where do we go? To the
masquerade dance. S. A. F. Lodge
No. 57, Bjornstjarnan will give a
masquerade ball Tuesday evening,
Feb. 18th, at Trades & Labor hall,
Iron Exchange. Prizes will be given.
Everybody welcome. 21513p

Dispatch want ads measured over
half a column Wednesday evening.
There were 4 help wanted, 6 for rent,
4 for sale and 5 miscellaneous wants.
Wants are a cent a word first inser-
tion, half a cent a word each inser-
tion thereafter. These are cash
terms. Telephone your want, No.
74; or mail the ad or have it sent to
the office.

Saturday, Feb. 15, is pay day and
the wise advertiser uses Dispatch col-
umns to announce his merchandise
news to Brainerd people. Dispatch
ads are read. The paper is constantly
increasing its circulation. The
local news carried, say Wednesday
evening, exceeded the local news of
some of the larger cities. A feature
was Tom Wood's up to the minute
picture snapped at Los Angeles, Cal.,
and appearing in the Dispatch
through the courtesy of the Duluth
News Tribune.

BRAINERD SOLDIERS' CLUB RE-ORGANIZED

The Brainerd Soldiers' club has se-
cured new and larger quarters located
in Northeast Brainerd, corner Second
avenue and Kindred street.

Membership cards are being solicited
by the organizers Sergt. Geo. P.
Hanson and Wm. F. Rodenkirchen.
All men between the age of 18 and
50 are invited to membership.

A complete set of athletic goods
is to be added with bath, and many
things to make a place of recreation
to the home-coming soldiers and also
for local boys.

The future of the club promises
many surprises, such as bouts, dances,
banquets and musical entertainments.

Membership tickets are sold at \$1
which entitles members to all privi-
leges of the club.

Spasmodic Sermon.

Many a man finds himself in deep
water before he gets in the swim.

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FARM BUREAU

NOTES GIVEN

An Exchange List to Aid Farmers of
Crow Wing County to be Pub-
lished Soon

SEED TESTING IS ADVOCATED

County Agent Has Purchased Supply
of Bliss Triumph and Green
Mountain Potatoes

The Crow Wing County Farm Bu-
reau is arranging for the publication
of an exchange list and the first issue
will be put out within the next ten
days.

A copy will be mailed to every in-
dividual interested in agriculture
which the county agent has the name
of.

Future issues of the exchange list
will be sent to Farm Bureau members
only.

The purpose of the bulletin is to
assist in the distribution of seed
stocks and farm animals and any-
thing else which the farmer wishes to
sell or buy.

Any Farm Bureau member wishing
to take advantage of this method of
advertising should communicate with
the county agent, E. A. Colquhoun, at
once.

Seed Testing Time.

Because of the shortage of grass
and clover seed this year, it is es-
pecially necessary that seeds pur-
chased be tested for germination and
purity. Any individual who desires
to have seed tested may have it done
free of charge through the Farm Bu-
reau office.

The test for purity, as well as ger-
mination, is made at the seed labora-
tory at the University Farm.

Do not delay bringing in samples,
as early testing will avoid the rush
and consequent delay if samples are
brought in later on.

The county agent has arranged for
the purchase of some extra quality
seed potato stock of the Bliss Tri-
umph and Green Mountain varieties.
These potatoes are certified seed and
are raised by A. M. Sissler of Grand
Rapids. Mr. Sissler furnished all of
the seed stock which was used in
raising potatoes for the county exhibi-
tion at the Grand Rapids show. Itasca
county won first prize in the exhibit
and there is no question but that the
potatoes are some of the best that
can be secured.

Farm Bureau Conference.

The annual Farm Bureau confer-
ence took place at the University
Farm last week and was attended by
Alton Thelander and the county
agent. At this conference plans and
methods of developing the Farm Bu-
reaus of the state were considered.
Every county now has a farm bu-
reau and a county agent and under
the new system the work seems to be
gaining favor very rapidly.

County Agent Leader F. E. Dalmer,
is very much encouraged with the sit-
uation in the state at the present
time and believes that Minnesota has
one of the best systems of agricul-
tural improvement that can be found
anywhere.

LITTLE FALLS 19

BEMIDJI 17

Bemidji, Minn., Feb. 13.—Little
Falls high school basket ball team
last night defeated Bemidji here 19
to 17. The score at the end of the
second half was 16 to 16; and extra
five minutes play gave the game to
Little Falls.

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE DRY

Legislature Refuses to Modify the Prohibition Law.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 13.—The state
house of representatives, by a vote of
173 to 149, killed a bill to legalize the
sale of beer and light wines. The pro-
hibition law adopted by the legislature
two years ago made illegal the manu-
facture and sale of all intoxicating li-
quors and the bill killed would have
modified the law.

Baker Names Liquidation Body.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Appointment
of "The United States Liquidation
commission—War department" to li-
quidate the business and financial af-
fairs of the American army in England
and France—was announced by Sec-
retary Baker. Edwin B. Parker of
Houston, Texas, is chairman.

Hoover Arrives in Brussels.

Brussels, Feb. 13.—Herbert C.
Hoover, head of the Allied relief or-
ganization, has arrived here, having
come principally because President
Wilson was unable to visit Brussels
at this time. Mr. Hoover will repre-
sent the President in conferences with
Belgian officials.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

Minneapolis Grain.
Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—Oats, Mar.
55 1/2c; Rye, February, \$1.31 1/4; May,
\$1.32 1/4. Barley, choice, 80¢@85¢. Corn,
No. 3 white, \$1.15@1.16; No. 3 yellow,
\$1.20@1.22.

South St. Paul Live Stock.
South St. Paul, Feb. 13.—Estimated
receipts at the Union Stock Yards:
Cattle, 3,000; calves, 1,500; hogs, 12,
000; sheep, 2,500; horses, 20; cars, 296
Steers, \$7.00@16.35; cows, \$8.00@
12.00; calves, \$6.00@14.00; hogs, \$17.10
@17.25; sheep and lambs, \$8.00@16.75.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Feb. 13.—Hogs—Receipts,
50,000; butchers, \$17.85@18.05; light,
\$17.50@17.90; packing, \$16.75@17.70;
throwouts, \$16.25@16.75; pigs, good to
choice, \$15.50@17.40. Cattle—Receipts,
22,000; beef cattle, good, choice and
prime, \$16.25@20.00; common and me-
dium, \$10.40@16.25.

Minneapolis Butter, Eggs and Poultry.
Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—BUTTER—
Extras, 42¢; extra firsts, 39¢; firsts,
38¢; seconds, 37¢; dairies, 33¢; pack-
ing stock, 31¢.

EGGS — Fresh, prime firsts, new
cases, free from rots, small, dirties and
checks out, per doz, 35¢; current re-
ceipts, note out, \$9.60; checks and sec-
onds, doz, 30¢; dirties, candied, doz,
30¢; quotations on eggs include cases.
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fat, 8 lbs and over, 37¢; turkeys, fair
to good, 20¢@28¢; No. 2, thin and poorly
dressed, 18¢@20¢; culls not wanted;
turkeys, old toms, 35¢; ducks, No. 1,
26¢; No. 2, 20¢; geese, No. 1, 22¢; No.
2, 16¢@18¢.

New York Butter and Eggs.
New York, Feb. 13.—Butter, firm;
9.718; creamery higher than extras,
50 1/2¢@51¢; creamery extras, 49 1/2¢@50¢;
firsts, 45¢@48 1/2¢; packing stock, cur-
rent make, No. 2, 32 1/2¢@34¢.

Eggs, firm; 11,800; fresh gathered
extras, 48 1/2¢@49¢; fresh gathered, reg-
ular packed, extra firsts, 47 1/2¢@48¢; do
firsts, 46¢@47¢.

Ready to Fly to Europe.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Flight from the
United States to Europe will be start-
ed at once, Capt. B. B. Lipsner stated
if Secretary Daniels consents to the
use of the mammoth navy seaplane
NC-1 in response to a telegraphic re-
quest for the machine. Captain Lip-
sner formerly was in charge of the fed-
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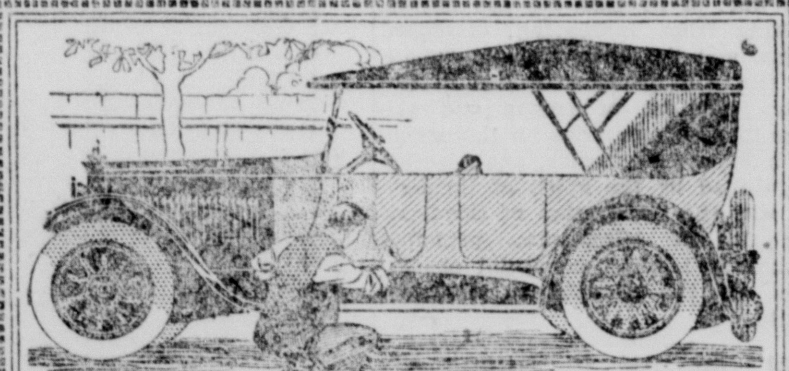
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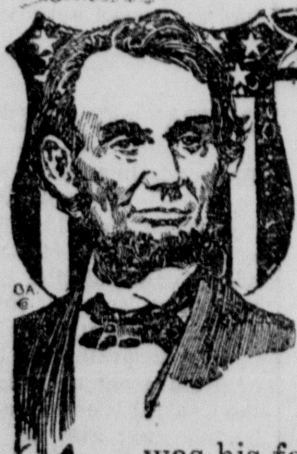
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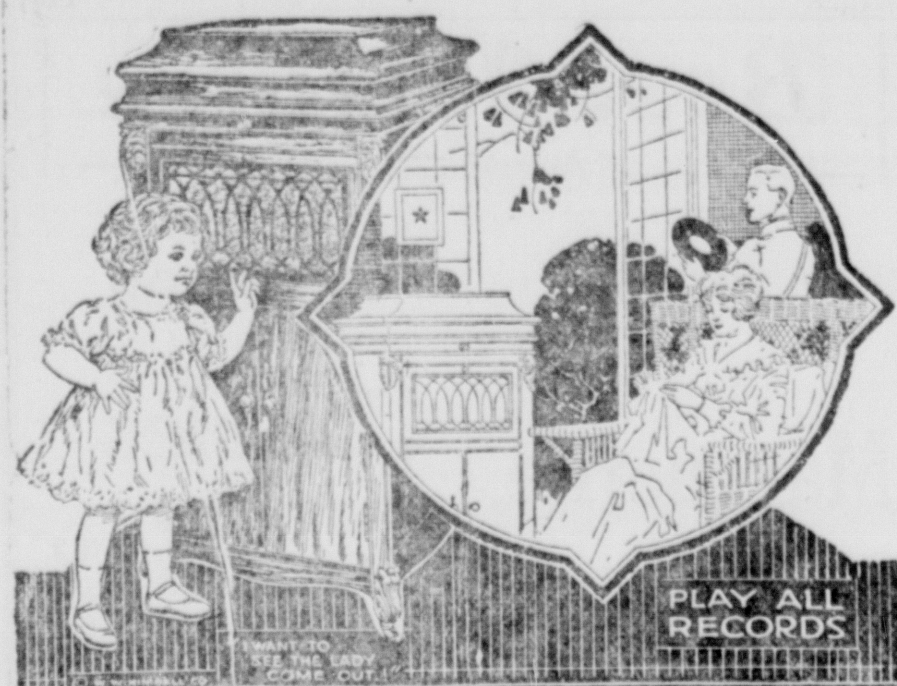
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SONG RECITAL OF FREDERICK SOUTHWICK

The song recital of Frederick Southwick, baritone, with Mrs. Walter F. Wieland at the piano, will be given at Elks hall Friday evening, February 14. This is the program:

1. Romanza, "Herodade" Massenet
2. (a) "The Bitterness of Love" Dunn
- (b) "In Absence" Mary Southwick
- (c) "We Two" Walter Kramer
3. (a) "The Years at the Spring" Hartog
- (b) "The Four-Leaf Clover" Brownell
- (c) "Open the Gates of the Temple" Knapp
4. (a) "Tim Rooney at the Fight" Flynn
- (b) "A Little Bit of Honey" Bond
- (c) "The Americana Come" Pay Foster

"The Star Spangled Banner" (With audience singing)

The price of admission will be 50c, tax not included.

SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. John Browers Entertain Party of Friends, Pleasant Afternoon is Spent

Mr. and Mrs. John Browers were surprised by a party of friends on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Hall took her large Victrola along and all enjoyed the music. Refreshments were served and a pleasant afternoon was spent.

Those present were Mrs. Wm. Hall, Mrs. Ladue, Mrs. Wm. Lasher, Mrs. Ray Fenstermacher, Mrs. Wm. Howard, Mrs. A. E. Bunnell, Mrs. Con Isle, Mrs. B. Farmer, Mrs. Rich, Mrs. R. Farmer, Mrs. Edwards and A. Mohler.

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Miss Frances Frenette, Crosby Girl, Engaged in the Work in Crow Wing and Aitkin Counties

REP. LONG INTRODUCES BILL

To Reimburse Village for Money Expended on the Armory—Mother's Club Meets in Crosby

Crosby, Minn., Feb. 14—Miss Frances Frenette, Relief nurse with the Minnesota Public Health Association, who has been nursing in Crow Wing and Aitkin counties for the past three months and in Brainerd for five weeks, has gone to International Falls where she will be employed four weeks.

Rep. P. J. Long has introduced a bill in the house seeking to reimburse the village for money expended on the armory.

At the Mothers' club meeting lunch was served by Mesdames Welch, Van Evera, Richards, W. B. Cook, Linne-mann and Benedict. The third annual charity ball of the club will be held Feb. 21 at the armory.

Mrs. W. H. Paulson and little daughter Eleanor have been visiting Mrs. Wm. Paulson of Aitkin.

Two services were held in St. Joseph's church Sunday, the Crostian at 9 a. m. and the regular parish service at 10:30 o'clock.

Judge Ezra R. Smith has returned from a business trip to Duluth.

Miss Minnie Wiggins will take a business course in Duluth.

Rev. W. J. Lowrie of Brainerd preached at the Presbyterian church on "The New Era."

"Among the Breakers" is a two-act comedy drama which was given under the auspices of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid.

Rev. C. L. Benedict has a vase made from a German shell sent by her son, Private Harold Benedict, now with the Army of Occupation.

Joe Hartman of the Sultana mine lost his car by fire.

RETURN FROM CHICAGO

Miss Selma Anderson and Miss Clara Dahl of the H. F. Michael Co. Speak of Spring Styles

Miss Selma Anderson and Miss Clara Dahl of the H. F. Michael Co. have returned from Chicago.

Miss Anderson is quite enthusiastic about the spring garments. Every indication is, she says, that suits will enjoy great popularity for the styles are so different and so attractive. There is also much to please those who wish something new in outer wraps. She said that the women have not had as many new styles offered them since the war began. Miss Anderson is again at her position in the store.

Miss Dahl took the course for secretaries and soon expects her diploma. She is a popular saleslady.

Sleigh Ride Party

A sleigh ride party was given by Marie Branchaud and Ruth Vaughn Tuesday evening, twenty-four being present. After an enjoyable ride around the city they were all entertained at the home of Miss Vaughn. The evening was spent in playing games and music.

A most delicious lunch was served and all enjoyed the pleasant evening.

Doreas Society

The Doreas Young Peoples society of the Swedish Bethany church will meet at the Peter Benson home, 915 Fir street north, on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Misses Ethel Fredstrom and Ina Anderson will entertain. A good program has been prepared and a pleasant meeting is assured. All are welcome.

Missionary Society

The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Carl Bentley, 623-9th St. So., Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. This is the last meeting of the year and all members are requested to be present. Please bring your mite boxes. Visitors are welcome.

Finnish Lutheran Church

Finnish Lutheran church, corner 14th and Quince streets—Sunday school at 11, Sunday evening services at 7:30. The Bible class will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 at the home of John Hill, Norwood street. Rev. A. Karhu, pastor.

RIVERTON

Riverton, Minn., Feb. 13—Mrs. Benjamin Ayer died suddenly of apoplexy. Severn E. Koop, deputy coroner, pronounced death due to apoplexy. She was about 45 years old and leaves a husband and four children.

MORE YARN ON HAND

Knitters Urged to Get the Balance of Yarn at Headquarters and Finish Knitting

The knitting committee urges the ladies of the city, members of the knitting corps, to call for their quota of yarn at headquarters and use up the same in socks and other goods which must be finished and turned in this month.

NATION OWES MORRIS MUCH

Financier's Services to the Cause of American Independence Should Never Be Forgotten.

Robert Morris was the financier of the American revolution, a whole "Liberty loan" in himself. He carried the colonists through their struggle for independence by handling such funds as the country possessed at the time, but for the most part through his own private credit, which was greater than that of his country. Yet after this unprecedented service to his country he was thrown into the debtors' prison for three years (from 1798 to 1801). He was born on January 29, say some authorities—others on January 31, 1734, at Liverpool, and died in Philadelphia May 7, 1806. He arrived in America when thirteen years old, entered a mercantile house and developed a genius for finance. In 1754 he became a member of a prosperous firm known as Willing, Morris & Co. During the conflict with the mother country he gave all his time and money to help the colonists. Out of his own means he transferred Washington's army from Dobbs Ferry to Yorktown in 1781. That same year he established the Bank of North America—the first bank in the United States with a national character. He was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and was a member of the Continental congress until 1778, after which he went into the legislature, serving during several terms, when he became the superintendent of finance from 1781 to 1784. He was also head of the navy department from 1781 to 1784. At one time he owned half of the state of New York and millions of acres in other states, but the slow development in values and the failure of the Bank of London, in which he had funds, caused his bankruptcy. At the time of his failure he was building a palatial home in Philadelphia, which was never finished, and many of the workmen were paid off by giving them portions of the architecture, which they sold later or built into less pretentious homes. Some of these fine specimens of carving in stone have been bought up and made the motive for planning artistic homes in old Germantown in Philadelphia.

Crew of Lost Steamer Landed.

New York, Feb. 13.—The Norwegian-American line steamship Bergensfjord, which arrived here from Christiania, brought home Capt. Peter Behm and 38 members of the crew of the American steamer Castalia, who were rescued by the Bergensfjord January 12, when their vessel was abandoned off Sable Island in a leaking condition. Three of those rescued died aboard the Bergensfjord and were buried at sea. Four other members of the Castalia's crew were lost when a lifeboat capsized.



—MISS EDYTH HUDSON—

Women fencers who aspire to championship honors have their opportunity now to meet the American title holder. She is Miss Edyth Hudson, who is meeting all comers at a New York theatre. All the proceeds of her bouts are to go to swell the funds of the War Camp Community, which has had a big part in welcoming, entertaining and caring for returning soldiers and sailors.

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DR. W. S. HODGSON AT DEERWOOD CHURCH

Methodist Divine of Duluth Preached Sunday, Church Was Crowded to Hear Him

BUS FOR HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS

L. H. Mattson, Stationed as Clerk of Quartermaster's Department, Returns to Deerwood

Deerwood, Minn., Feb. 13—Dr. William S. Hodgson, prominent divine of Duluth, spoke Sunday at the Methodist church and it was crowded with members of the congregation and their friends to hear him.

A bus is to be provided for high school pupils in attending athletics and special high school entertainments at Crosby, as agreed upon at the last meeting of the board of education.

Miss Lillian Crosswell, teacher of the primary department of the public school, went to Brainerd to have her eyes attended to by an oculist.

L. H. Mattson is home again and in civilian pursuits. He had served as a clerk in the quartermaster's department in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ernster and their son Manuel were at Brainerd. The Norwegian Ladies' Aid met Friday.

C. W. Potts was at Brainerd on business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCarvill are visiting in Montana.

H. J. Ernster is administrator of the O. J. Carlson estate.

Frederick Southwick, noted baritone, sang in Deerwood Wednesday evening. Mrs. H. J. Ernster, who had been his pupil, induced him to give a concert in the village. Mrs. Walter F. Wieland was the pianist for the singer. The recital was most pleasing and the many friends of the singer attended the concert.

Ed Brand served on the petit jury in Brainerd at this term of the district court.



CHARLES RAY
in "The Law of the North"
A Paramount Picture

At the Best Tomorrow

At the Best Today

In her new starring vehicle, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," which will be shown at the Best theatre today, Marguerite Clark, celebrated as the "sweetest girl in motion pictures," portrays the roles of Eva and Topsy, two widely dissimilar characterizations but, which she handles with the skill of the true artist.

This is a splendid picturization of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe's famous novel, the publication of which did much to bring on the Civil War and resulted in the emancipation of the slaves in this country. The novel was translated in many languages and in point of numbers the sales of the book exceeded that of any story ever published. The principal incidents of the story are embraced in the photoplay and collectively they form one of the finest picture productions ever made by any motion picture corporation.

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At the Best Tomorrow

One of the many dramatic scenes in "The Law of the North," the latest picture, featuring Charles Ray, which is to be shown at the Best theatre tomorrow, shows Alain de Montclair, played by Charles Ray, after his return to his home at a Northern trading post to find his father murdered and his sister abducted. The perpetrator of the crimes was his best friend and the father of the beautiful French-Canadian girl that he loves. His heart torn with anguish, he turns on the girl bitterly, and not until they pass through an ordeal that tests the courage of both, are they reunited.

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Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise; splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, lame back, can, instead, both look and feel as fresh as a daisy always by washing the poisons and toxins from the body with phosphated hot water each morning.

We should drink, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to flush from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract before putting more food into the stomach.

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A bill has been introduced in the legislature to guarantee bank deposits. The safety of bank deposits is not worrying the average newspaper man. What they would like is a bank deposit—they would be willing to take chances on its safety—while it was there.

The bolshevist theory is to take all property for common use—by that they mean their use, and if the owner objects kill him. This is the explanation made of their doctrine to a senate committee by Prof. Samuel Harper, a student of Russian affairs.

Connecticut and New Jersey have refused to ratify the constitutional prohibition amendment, but they will have to go without their booze just the same.

PRaises Y. M. C. A. WAR WORK

Former President Taft Speaks at Dedication Exercises.

Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—It was a different William Howard Taft from the man setting forth his ideas of a league of nations or helping speed up the war work of the nation that visitors to the formal dedication of the new Y. M. C. A. building heard. It was a jovial, witty Mr. Taft whose chuckle before a funny something he recalled evoked laughs from all his hearers.

Thus it was with one of these moving chuckles that he likened the disgruntled persons who return from abroad disseminating criticism of the Y. M. C. A. to "convalescents who are always disposed to be grouchy."

BRANDS STATEMENTS FALSE

Heney Denies Packers' Witnesses Were Refused Hearing.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Francis J. Heney appeared before the House Interstate Commerce committee at his own request to answer what he branded "misstatements of packer witnesses."

Heney declared flatly he had never denied the packers an opportunity to send witnesses or be heard at the Federal Trade commission hearings.

TWO DIE IN REVOLVER DUEL

Oklahoma Merchant and Employee Kill Each Other.

Texarkana, Ark., Feb. 13.—Standing a few feet apart, A. S. Harvey, aged 66, one of the proprietors of the Garland Mercantile company at Garland City, and F. D. Searcy, aged 33, a bookkeeper for the company, "shot out a quarrel" in the store saleroom.

Both were killed, one with five bullet wounds, the other with six.

Time Will Not Be Extended.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Treasury of Ael reiterated that there would be no extension of the time for filing income profit tax returns beyond March 15. This applies alike to individual incomes, corporation incomes and profit returns and to similar reports required by the law on that date. Officials denied rumors reaching the treasury that extension might be granted in certain cases for these returns. Additional time may be granted, however, for so-called "information at the source" reports.

BREAKS TWO AUTO RECORDS

Ralph De Palma Shows Some Speed at Daytona, Fla.

Daytona, Fla., Feb. 13.—Ralph De Palma broke the world's automobile records for both a mile and a kilometer in straightaway dashes on Daytona beach. The time for the mile as announced by officials of the Automobile association of America was 24.02 seconds against Bob Burman's record of 25.40 seconds made in 1911. DePalma's kilometer time was 15.88 seconds or two seconds below the record.

TOTS ARGUE FOR NEW SCHOOL LAW

Two little girls, and a mite of a boy, spoke yesterday afternoon before members of the Senate education committee.

Their argument was the multiplication table, the boundaries of the zones and recitation of a few dates in history. When they were through and the committee members were alone again there was a different atmosphere in the room from that usual in legislative committee rooms.

One senator was wiping his eyes, another was telling of a little boy he had once known and the chairman of the committee was warning the other members to come back to serious consideration of other business before then.

The children were pupils at the Webster school department for the deaf. With their teacher, Miss Mabel Rusch, they came before the committee asking that a bill, introduced by Senator Hilding Swanson of Brainerd, be given the approval of the committee.

The Swanson bill would permit any county in the state where there are more than five deaf children to establish a school for their especial education and would pledge the state to give \$200 for each such pupil toward the support of the school. Also it would permit children thus afflicted to remain in school until they can complete the regular course of instruction. Under the present law, under which schools are operating in St. Paul and Minneapolis, pupils can only be taught from the ages of 4 to 10 years. After that age they may be sent to the state school at Faribault.

Parents of the children, a representative of organized labor, teachers in the St. Paul and Minneapolis schools and Mr. Swanson, author of the bill, all spoke in favor of the measure, but it remained for the children to furnish the clinching argument for the bill.

While no definite action could be taken on the matter until further hearing with state educational authorities, members of the committee expressed themselves in favor of the Swanson bill.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

SPINA HOTEL CHANGED HANDS

R. F. Thrall of New York is the New Manager of the Big Hotel in Ironton

MINING COMPANIES PATRIOTIC

Agree to Take Back All Men Called to the Colors—Other Ironton News Notes

Ironton, Minn., Feb. 13.—The Spina hotel has changed hands and the new manager is R. F. Thrall of Buffalo, N. Y. who with his mother took charge. They have had much experience in the hotel business.

Mining companies at a meeting held in Ironton agreed to take back all of their men who had been called to the colors.

Stanich Bros. clothing store was destroyed by fire.

The Moose lodge will give a hard time party on Feb. 14 and a masquerade dance on Washington's birthday.

Isaac Frazer has been appointed meat inspector of Ironton.

The Feigh mine near Ironton is being electrified. The property lies between the Hill Crest and the Mahanomen pits.

Considerable stockpiling is being done at the Joan No. 4 shaft mine. Ralph Villane has sold his tailor business to George Morrison of Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Peterson entertained a number of friends on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ellingson visited in St. Paul.

Miss Islay McColl of Brainerd was a guest of Mrs. George Pease.

Morris D. Folsen of Brainerd was at Ironton on business.

Rev. Father Quillen has taken charge of a parish at Biwabik.

John Adlesich, returned soldier, is again with the First National Bank.

WANTS NEW MEXICAN POLICY

Senator Launches Movement for Protection of Americans.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Reports of continued outrages in Mexico against Americans prompted Senator J. H. Lewis of Illinois, democratic whip of the senate, to launch a movement to strengthen the administration's Mexican policy to an extent sufficient to guarantee the safety of American lives and property.

The Illinois senator introduced a resolution calling for the adoption of "such a course as would be appropriate for the United States government to take that will make secure in Mexico, under the present government, the lives and property of Americans."



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NORTHWEST NEWS

State Drainage System

St. Paul, Feb. 13.—Engineers and surveyors of Minnesota meeting here today are expected to play a large part in the reorganization of the state's drainage system affecting the entire Northwest. The Tri-State Flood Control Assn. of Minnesota, North and South Dakota is particularly interested in the three day session of the Minnesota Engineers and Surveyors' association.

Sen. F. L. Cliff's bill for a new drainage system in Minnesota will be discussed in the convention. Sen. Cliff proposes to completely organize the drainage system of the state provide for a survey and a system for definitely defining basins. The bill proposes to do away with the present drainage commission and establish a new body which will devote its entire time to the drainage problem.

Two years ago evidence was presented to the senate drainage committee showing that about sixty per cent of the money spent on drainage in Minnesota was wasted. Sen. F. H. Peterson, Moorhead chairman of the present drainage committee in the Senate said this condition was not wholly attributable to the engineers nor to the lawyers behind the project. He declared however that such waste could be eliminated.

A definite effort on the part of legislators, engineers, farmers, manufacturers and power and development managers is now under way to solve the entire drainage problem.

Minnesota Editor's Meeting

St. Paul, Feb. 13.—Patriotism, good roads, employment, advertising, education and printing problems are slated for much discussion at the fifty-third annual convention of the Minnesota Editorial association a week from tomorrow. Sessions will be held at the St. Paul hotel Friday and Saturday, Feb. 21 and 22.

Mayor L. C. Hodgson will welcome the editors. Vice President Asa Wallace of the Sauk Center Herald will respond as an official of the association.

President A. O. Moreaux of the Rock County Herald, Luverne, will deliver the president's annual address and appoint committees.

Bombs in Coal

Devils Lake, N. D., Feb. 13.—Upon the already over-burdened housewife who aspires to efficiency is added another duty. If she would protect her home from physical danger, she must examine all pieces of coal assuring herself before the same is allowed to be shoveled into the furnace that it is bombless. A farmer residing near this city was stoking the heating plant one evening and while breaking a hunk of coal to suit it to the size of the furnace door, discovered a stick of dynamite.

French Population Shrinks.

Paris, Feb. 13.—France's civilian population in four years has decreased by considerably over three-quarters of a million, without including the deaths in occupied Northern France nor the losses due directly to the war. Official statistics show that in 1913 the births outnumbered the death by 17,000. But this slight excess disappeared in the following year since which time the deaths have outnumbered the births in 1914 by more than 50,000 and in 1915, 1916 and 1917 by nearly 300,000 in each year.

Doesn't Need Leap Years.

The right kind of girl doesn't need leap year in her business.—Montreal Star.

COMING BACK TWICE, IT'S KID GLEASON

BY H. C. HAMILTON. (Staff Correspondent, United Press) (Copyright, 1919, by United Press) CHAPTER I.

Probably the title is wrong, for as a real matter of fact, Kid Gleason came back three times—and each one made a success of the job. But his two comebacks, first as a ball player and then as a manager, are the ones that form the diamond setting to his rough life and are the ones with which the public is mostly concerned.

What baseball fan of the big league variety is there who has not seen Gleason on the coaching line at first or third base for the Chicago White Sox in recent years? It isn't hard to visualize a man of his predominating personality. Trousers bagging down far over his knees, short legs bowing slightly, the famous Kid presents a picturesque figure as he works. His spikes dig at the grass, his head turns quickly this way and that, his eyes snap and his voice barks. First he leans forward intently, hands on his knees, then he suddenly stands erect, his fingers claw at his belt, and as suddenly his hands shoot forward and come together. He shouts at the White Sox and they spring to action on the bases. Then his blue eyes set again and he waits for another opportunity.

That is Kid Gleason, the snappy, commanding hard-fighting product of early baseball days when Charles A. Comiskey has named to succeed Clarence Rowland as manager of the White Sox.

He isn't a big man, this Kid Gleason. He is only an average sized human being, but wrapped up in his average sized body are steel springs. He is one of baseball's most powerful products and he is able to use his great strength to great advantage. A fighter from the time he first entered baseball, he never has left that behind him. A fighter he is today—purely a fighter—and that is the spirit he will carry into the hearts of the White Sox.

His career is picturesque, yet shrouded in deep secrecy. Constantly in the eyes of the fans as a great ball player and as a scrappy one, still Gleason's essays into print have been markedly few. Pictures of him, as a matter of fact, are at a premium. He confessed to the writer a short time ago that he didn't have one of himself and that he didn't remember when a decent one had been made.

"Somehow I just never had it done," he said. "You know how those things are."

It's the same with his baseball days. He likes to talk of the old times when he figured in many an important game with this or that club, but when it gets to a matter of telling about it for publication he almost blushes and declines to speak more than a yes or no.

I recently asked him if he wouldn't consent to tell of some of the battles he had gone through on the baseball field.

"No," he said, his blue eyes twinkling. "It's bad enough to have to do those things sometimes without talking about them afterward." And there the matter rested. He didn't care to rake the ashes of the past and tell of those things if he knew they were to be printed.

(To be continued)

Strength of Bone and Oak.

A very small bone, only one square millimeter—0.155 square inch—in diameter, will hold 33 pounds in suspension without breaking, while a piece of the best oak of the same thickness will hold up only 22 pounds.

TAKING ALIENS FROM SEATTLE

Immigration Officials Are Preparing to Deport More Agitators.

ALSO ACTIVE AT BUTTE

Preaching of Anarchistic Doctrines in Montana City Also Will Result in Persons There Being Taken Into Custody.

New York, Feb. 13.—Writs of habeas corpus, sought by a group of radicals in an effort to prevent deportation of 49 of the 54 aliens brought to Ellis Island from the West, were issued by Federal Judge Knox.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 13.—More alien labor agitators, Industrial Workers of the World, and persons of alleged Bolshevik sympathies are to be deported from Seattle within the near future, according to a statement by Henry M. White, commissioner of immigration. Several cases are held up in the courts on habeas corpus proceedings, he said, and other cases have been decided. Between 10 and 15, he said would be deported soon.

Butte to Take Same Steps.

Helena, Feb. 13.—Further preaching of anarchistic doctrines by aliens in Butte will result in steps to deport them as undesirable it was said here by Charles K. Andrews, inspector in charge of the United States immigration office. This was corroborated by E. C. Day, United States district attorney. Federal authorities have been studying the Butte industrial situation.

Chicago I. W. W. Arrested.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—The police raided the once busy general headquarters of the I. W. W. and arrested 29 leaders "to see who they were and why they were not working," an official said. Government agents professed no interest in the raid, although the police said the arrests were made with the knowledge of the government. The I. W. W. headquarters have seen little activity since William D. Haywood, the head of the organization, and nearly a hundred others, were convicted of conspiracy and sent to Leavenworth prison last fall.

The activity of the authorities against the I. W. W. was continued by the police after published reports of the alleged conspiracy against the life of President Wilson, and also, government agents said, against W. G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, for which Pietro Pierre was arrested in Cleveland. Pierre, an I. W. W., released last October from Leavenworth penitentiary, had expected to obtain financial aid in Chicago.

SAVES SLACKER FROM DEATH

President Commutes Sentence to Twenty Years in Prison.

Washington, Feb. 13.—President Wilson has commuted to 20 years' imprisonment a death sentence imposed by court-martial on Pvt. Solomon Losofsky, who was charged with having declared on his arrival at Camp Dix that he had no respect for the flag or the country and to have refused to put on his leggings when ordered to do so by his superior officer.

REVIEW RAINBOW DIVISION

General Pershing Will Arrive at Coblenz Saturday.

Coblenz, Feb. 13.—General Pershing will arrive at Coblenz Saturday for a visit of several days.

He will review the Thirty-second and Forty-second divisions, which, according to present plans will be the first two divisions to start homeward, possibly by way of the Rhine.

No date has been set for the departure of either division.

175,000 MEN BROUGHT HOME

About 1,600,000 Americans Remain on Foreign Soil.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Consideration of the \$1,100,000,000 army appropriation bill began in the House. Chairman Dent of the military committee read the reports announced last week by General March, showing that approximately 175,000 men had been returned from overseas and that more than 1,600,000 still are on foreign soil.

OBTAINS AUSTRALIAN WHEAT

Sweden Purchases 12,000 Tons From British Colony.

Melbourne, Feb. 13.—The sale of 12,000 tons of wheat from the government pool to Sweden at \$1.37 a bushel, f. o. b. Melbourne, has been consummated. This makes a total of 112,000 tons of wheat sold by the commonwealth of Australia for export since the beginning of the year.

Supplies for Occupied Zone.

Washington, Feb. 13.—British exporting firms have been authorized by the British board of trade under a general license to supply goods to territories in the occupied region on the left bank of the Rhine, the State department has been advised by Consul General Skinner at London. Under another ruling of the board reported by Consul Skinner, samples or descriptions of export prohibited goods may now be forwarded without license to any non-enemy destination if intended for solicitation of orders.

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Paramount Pictures

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Marguerite Clark

TOMORROW
Charles Ray

IN
"UNCLE TOM'S CABIN"

Also
Sunshine Comedy

WEEKLY TRAVEL PICTURES

Admission 10c and 20c, Tax Included
Shows 7:30 & 9:00

NORTHERN CONGRESS OPENS

Eminent Speakers Plead Need of League of Nations.

Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—Eminent speakers pleaded the necessity for a strong League of Nations, and were warmly applauded by 2,000 delegates from four northwestern states, gathered for the opening session of the Northern Congress for a League of Nations, at the Minneapolis Auditorium.

The congress is to be in session for two days, as one of a series to cover the entire country, and follows one just ended in Chicago, under auspices of the League to Enforce Peace. William H. Taft and Frank P. Walsh are among the speakers.

* Bought War Planes to *
* Put Them into Business *



By the lucky toss of a nickel Roy A. Conger acquired the right to buy for a New York syndicate the greater part of the equipment provided for Great Britain for training Canadian air fighters. The value of the planes and engines was placed at \$10,000,000. This makes him the biggest individual owner of airplanes in the country. It is understood that the planes are to be put to commercial uses and that the syndicate intends to arrange for express and passenger services.

I Have Opened a Shoe Repairing Shop

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Give Me a Trial
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Notice of Cancellation of Contract.

Notice is Hereby Given, that default has been made in the conditions of that certain contract made and entered into on the Twenty-fourth (24) day of August, A. D. 1916, by and between Fred M. Koop, owner of the real property herein-after described, and John Frank, purchaser, for the conveyance of the following described real estate, to-wit: The Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, (NE 1/4 of NW 1/4) and the North one-half of the Northeast quarter, (N 1/2 of NE 1/4), and the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter (SE 1/4 of NE 1/4) all in Section number Twenty-four (24) in the Township numbered Forty-three (43), Range Thirty (30), west of the Fourth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, according to the United States Government survey thereof containing 160 acres of land more or less, situated in the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota.

The default made and condition broken is the non-compliance and utter failure to perform that part of the conditions of said contract as follows: "With interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum payable annually on all unpaid balances," it being stipulated that said interest on all unpaid balances should be paid annually and the condition of said contract being, "But should default be made in the payment of any or either of the said several sums of money, or any part thereof, to be by him paid, or in the payment of the interest thereon," and also the failure to pay any part of the taxes assessed against the said property since the execution of said contract. That the amount of interest due and payable at the date of this notice is the sum of Three Hundred Thirty-eight Dollars and Ninety-four Cents (\$338.94), and taxes, if any.

Now, therefore, you, John Frank, are hereby notified that the said Fred M. Koop will terminate said contract at the expiration of Ninety (90) days after the service of this notice upon you unless prior thereto and before the expiration of said Ninety (90) days, you shall comply with all the conditions of said contract in every particular by the payment in full of all moneys due thereon, the costs of the service of this notice, and then and from thereafter your rights in said contract will be forever barred.

Dated November 4th, 1918.

FRED M. KOOP.
W. H. CROWELL,
Attorney for Fred M. Koop.
Suite 2, City Hall Building,
Brainerd, Minnesota.

Cloquet, Minnesota. 23-30-6

EAGLES CELEBRATE 16TH ANNIVERSARY

Gala Occasion Attended by Over 200
Eagles and Their Wives on Wed-
nesday Evening

H. P. DUNN, TOASTMASTER

Program of Literary and Musical
Numbers Followed by Turkey
Banquet and Dancing

The sixteenth anniversary celebration of the local aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, was a gala occasion, attracting over 200 people, being Eagles, wives and friends, and they enjoyed a well balanced musical and literary program, followed by a turkey banquet and ending with a dance in the Eagles hall in the Citizens State bank building Wednesday evening.

The hall glowed in patriotic colors. Red, white and blue streamers reached from center of hall to corners of the room. Large American flags flashed forth. Near the speaker's stand a portrait of Lincoln nestled in the folds of Old Glory. Seating accommodations were taxed during the giving of the program.

Hon. H. P. Dunn, in his introductory speech, called attention to the fact that the Eagles annual entertainment has hitherto always been given on Thanksgiving eve, but last year, owing to the influenza epidemic, it had to be postponed until this Wednesday.

"On behalf of the members of the order of Eagles I extend a hearty welcome to the ladies present this evening and assure them we deeply appreciate their presence here to-night, as it proves you are interested in the welfare of the order to which your husbands and friends belong," said Mr. Dunn.

"The heart of the order of Eagles is fellowship. The helping hand, the forgiving heart, the tie of humanity, the red blood that is common to all humanity and makes all human-kind members of the same family—these are the attributes of the order of Eagles. In thus promoting closer human relations and a tender consideration for others, they are working to lessen man's inhumanity to man, and so they are doing God's work."

"In the great world's conflict so rapidly drawing to its close, the order of Eagles loyally and faithfully performed its part in assisting our government by purchasing Liberty Bonds, and if memory serves me right, they were among the first organized bodies to declare themselves solidly back of the president when war was declared, and now that the great conflict is past we thank Almighty God, and turn the hateful shadows and gloom of the past to the bright sunlight of hope in the future."

A pleasing baritone solo was sung by S. F. Alderman and persistent applause induced him to give an encore. Mr. Alderman's singing is always appreciated.

Rev. Hans Woelner, the new pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church, gave his humorous and witty lecture on "Facts and Fancies" which proved a veritable mine of fun, flashing forth unexpectedly and every point was well made and not a one was lost. In philosophical language the divine described the point of contact theory and then the actual application of the same. A delicate vein of sarcasm not the heavy kind of Carlisle which brooked no argument, ran through the discourse. There were many dry witticisms mixed in his well of humor, which bubbled forth continuously. So well did the minister impress his audience that later in the evening he had to tell some more stories.

At Mr. Mraz was in fine voice and gave two ballads, the piano accompaniment being played by Mrs. Leo Rifenrath.

A clarinet solo by R. H. Rehl was a revelation in his mastery of the instrument. No better clarinet player has been heard in the city and his phrasing, intonation, technique was wonderful. The accompaniment to his solo was played by Julius Witham violin and Miss Cecil Witham at the piano.

The Imperial quartet composed of S. F. Alderman, Al Mraz, Jno Bye and

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Influenza.
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G. S. Swanson sang very acceptably and received much applause.

Then came the turkey supper. To avoid confusion, tickets were given out. The colors, red, white and blue, signified the order of precedence. The caterer was Wm. Garvey and with a large corps of waiters engaged service was prompt. The dinner received much praise.

During the dinner hour music was furnished by Julius Witham violin, Miss Cecil Witham piano and R. H. Rehl clarinet.

The whole third floor was used by the Eagles. The large hall housed the program and dancing, another hall the dining room, a third room had card tables in use, a fourth was used for ladies wraps, another staged the caterer and assistants.

For the dancing, music was furnished by the Blue Ribbon orchestra and encores were often asked. The orchestra was one of five pieces.

The entertainment committee included A. P. Drogseth, S. R. Adair, A. C. Ebert and H. M. Anderson. The floor committee in charge of dancing was W. J. Lyons, A. C. Ebert and Ed. Stallman.

D. M. CLARK & CO. NEW DEPARTMENTS

Two and a Half Feet of Floor Space to be
Added to Store by Removal of
the Arcade

CHINA, GLASSWARE, BICYCLES

To be Added—Store is a Heavy Ad-
vertiser in the Dispatch and
Progressive Firm

The reporter was attracted to the Iron Exchange arcade this morning, where workmen from Duluth are engaged with J. A. Jackson, contractor of this city, in removing the large plate glass of which the arcade and inside front of Clark's store are composed. The glass is extremely large and expensive, and expert care is required in removing them. The change will give Clark's an added thousand feet of floor space in the front of their store and will make their already large store an immense affair. The new space will be devoted principally to a complete line of bicycles which they will carry, and a new chinaware and glassware department will be added. Because of the scarcity of dishes the past few years a large demand for them exists, and a most complete line will be carried, there being 21 different patterns in open stock.

Space was recently acquired in the back of the store by tearing out the rooms formerly devoted to undertaking and the tin shop, the undertaking having been sold out and the tin shop removed to the basement. On the furniture side the new space in back is devoted to rugs of all sizes, blankets, quilts, bedding, lace curtains and draperies. A spacious separate room in back is used for the receiving of goods and for packing and shipping to out of town customers, a large volume of the firm's business being done out of town.

The entire basement of the store, measuring 75 by 140 feet, which is light and airy, is given over to the display of stoves and ranges and low priced furniture. The better furniture is displayed on the first floor. The reporter was shown a dining room set and bed room just sold to a young Brainerd couple. Both were of genuine walnut and they sold at a price which would furnish two or three ordinary homes completely. The Brunswick phonograph department is on the first floor and a large stock of the instruments is carried. In the warehouse on Fifth street the surplus stock of the firm is carried.

The store is a heavy advertiser in the Dispatch; it believes in truthful advertising and steers clear of misquoting prices or misrepresentations. It cheerfully attributes no small part of its big business to the pulling power of Dispatch ads.

SOME TAX RATES CLOSE TO BRAINERD

To some people Brainerd's tax rate of 66 mills may appear big. Here are some communities near the county seat:

Walker	96.35 mills
Cass Lake	94 mills
Remer	103.36 mills
Laporte	102.26 mills
Park Rapids	80 mills
Nevis	106.59 mills
Akeley	128 mills

DISTRICT COURT
Owing to Difficulty in Gaining Wit-
nesses Court was Adjourned
to Feb. 24

Owing to the difficulty in gaining witnesses for court attendance, many of them being sick, Judge W. S. McClellan adjourned the district court to Monday, February 24, when it is expected to resume the criminal calendar.

COUNTY QUOTA AND CITY GIVEN

County to Raise \$10,000, Brainerd
Quota is \$4,000 to Aid Armen-

NATION QUOTA IS \$30,000,000,000

Rev. Hans J. Woelner Heads County
Here and Rev. E. A. Cooke the
City Canvass

Of the \$10,000.00 allotted to Crow Wing county is its quota for the Armenian and Syrian Relief, \$4,000.00 has been allotted to the city of Brainerd and the last week of February will witness perhaps one of the liveliest and most interesting drives in the interest of humanity in the records of this city.

The announcement some days ago, that Rev. Hans J. Woelner of the Episcopal church has accepted the county chairmanship and that Rev. E. A. Cooke of the First M. E. church would be chairman of the city committee, was received with general interest and appreciation. It is further announced that the pastors of other churches in the city will co-operate in efforts to put this drive across in one week's time, and the public schools will also play an important part in the campaign.

Strikes the Heart

The fact that 400,000 of these suffering Armenians and Syrians are little children and the harrowing tales, backed up by reliable information, which come from the stricken people has touched the heart-strings of every home-loving American. The 400,000 orphans estimated among those destitute, will make special appeal to the children of Brainerd, and little boys and girls who save their pennies and nickles to help swell the fund for these little unfortunates, cannot put their savings to any better advantage and will have the satisfaction that every dollar contributed by them will be handled by the American committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief, in a careful and business-like manner.

The Heart of Roosevelt

The late Theodore Roosevelt, in speaking of this movement, some months prior to his death, said: "With all my heart I wish you have undertaken in Western Asia. And particularly do I wish you success in your effort to raise \$30,000,000, for the maintenance of the tens of thousands of Christians and the other refugees and sufferers."

A nation-wide campaign to raise \$30,000,000 is now in progress, this sum having been fixed as approximately sufficient to keep the breath of life in the bodies of these homeless, starving masses, who are depending upon the American Committee to save them from inevitable death.

That Brainerd will come to the front with its customary liberality in all such movements, is a foregone conclusion and the clergymen who are giving of their time to this work certainly deserve the support of the general public.

UPPER MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL SOCIETY

Doctors are arriving in the city to attend the annual business session of the Upper Mississippi Medical society, of which Dr. J. B. Holst of Little Falls is president and Dr. J. A. Evert is secretary-treasurer.

There will be the election of officers. Dr. Evert has announced he did not wish to succeed himself, but the members may think otherwise and vote to retain a conscientious, obliging officer.

No set program has been arranged and there will be no scientific papers. The Chamber of Commerce rooms are headquarters for the association. In the evening there will be the dinner at the Ransford hotel.

AGGIE CAPTAIN OUT

William Molstad, Brainerd Basketball
Star, Will Probably Not Play
Again This Season

(Minneapolis Journal)
William Molstad, captain and guard on the Aggie quint will probably be kept out of the game for a month because of an injured knee.

While he played against St. Thomas Thursday he was too lame to keep up with the speed of the game and the school physician has advised him not to play and avoid possibility of water on the knee.

Men's Club

The Bethlehem Men's club will meet tonight with H. Wade, 1603 Pine St. S. E.

Hunting Trouble.

When a man is looking for trouble he doesn't have to go to the dictionary to find it. He can get it in the telephone directory.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

For Railway Male Clerks (Male and
Female) March 15, at
Brainerd

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination for railway mail clerk, for both men and women, to be held at Brainerd, and other cities on March 15. Vacancies in the railway mail service, at the entrance salary of \$1100 a year, will be filled from this examination.

Competitors will be examined in the following subjects: spelling, arithmetic, letter writing, penmanship, copying from plain copy and geography of the United States.

Applicants must be between the ages of eighteen and thirty-five years, and must be free from physical defects. Male applicants must measure at least 5 feet 5 inches in height and must weigh at least 130 pounds in ordinary clothing. Female applicants must measure at least 5 feet 2 inches in height and must weigh at least 110 pounds in ordinary clothing. The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who meet the requirements.

Applicants should at once apply for Form 304, stating the title of the examination desired, to the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or to the Secretary of the United States Civil Service board at the Brainerd post office. Additional information relative to the examination may be had from the same sources.

NEW HEAD STATE SUNDAY SCHOOLS

W. H. Schilling, New Superintendent
of the Association, to Visit
Brainerd Sunday

CO. CHM. DR. JOSEPH NICHOLSON

Mr. Schilling Anxious to Get Ac-
quainted With the County
and Local Situation

Brainerd is shortly to be favored with a treat along Sunday school lines when the new superintendent of the state association will be in the city for a public meeting. The date set for the meeting is Sunday afternoon and evening, February 23, in the Bethlehem Norwegian Lutheran church, on Seventh street.

W. H. Schilling is the new superintendent of the association taking the place of A. M. Locker who has gone into the international work with headquarters in Chicago. Mr. Schilling is anxious to come to Brainerd to get acquainted with the county and local situation and to meet the allied Sunday school forces of the various churches.

The leaders in Sunday school work here are counting on this mid-winter convention for a revival in interest and enthusiasm for the splendid cause in which they are engaged. The new superintendent comes with his recommendations for efficiency and with a live interest in his task.

The Brainerd district is in charge of George Berggreen, former city treasurer, who is now absent in war service, but his place will be filled for that evening by Dr. Joseph Nicholson, the county chairman.

There will be special music. An endeavor will be made to make this one of the most profitable meetings of this character held in the city. Many of the city churches will abandon their services that full scope may be given this meeting.

FLOYD HALL

Expresses in Verse His Thoughts on
the War and Its Close, Writes
Parents Mrs. and Mrs. N. Hall

Wagoner Floyd M. Hall of Supply Company 77, Field Artillery, A. P. O., 746th Am. E. F., in a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Hall, says he is stationed with the Army of Occupation in Germany. On January 1 he wrote:

"Today is New Year's day. A happy New Year. I received your letters yesterday. The package has not come yet, but I suppose it will come this week."

The pictures of Tom look natural and carry memories of the little gray home in the west. I wouldn't care if I was there now.

I wrote a verse last night while doing as many did, waiting the old year out in silence. There is very little news, so will close."

This is the verse:
"There is a mother in that home
So far across the sea,
A mother old and gray
Who prays each day for me."

Through all the war she waited,
While her son was in the strife,
In the war to save Democracy
And the honor of the Stars & Stripes.

And now the cannon's roar has ceased
I'm in the Army of Occupation,
Awaiting the signing of peace.

Your new spring garments will require the latest styles in corsets to make them have that made-to-fit appearance. Our corset line is without comparison

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Royal Worcester**

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Except Saturdays and Payday

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"BUSINESS AS USUAL"
will be our motto during the progress of the extensive alterations just commenced upon our store.

Our urgent need of space to display the immense new line of spring goods now in transit to us has made necessary the removal of our arcade front. The change will give us more than a thousand added feet of floor space, most of which will be devoted to our new bicycle department and chinaware department. Our new chinaware section will supply a long felt want in Brainerd, and will be the most complete this side of the Twin Cities. Twenty-one patterns of dishes will be carried at all times in open stock, at prices which will compel them to move fast. These are only further moves toward our aim to make this a store you can be proud to trade at

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FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLAUNDER

DANCE
K. C. Hall, Saturday night, Feb. 15, 9:30 P. M. Tibbitt's orchestra. Admission 75c. Come on! Let's go and help entertain the Crosby boys."

French Dry Cleaning and Tailoring
Business of Late Christ Schwabe Continued
MRS. CHRIST SCHWABE, Manager,
614 Laurel Street

ANARCHISM PERIL NOW GETS NOTICE

**BOLD EXPRESSIONS IN SHADOW
OF WASHINGTON MONUMENT
AROUSE PEOPLE.**

ITS GROWTH IS ALARMING

Senators Thomas and King Are Successors of Eugene Hale as Gloom Dispensers in the Senate—Farmers Reassured Concerning Wheat Price.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington.—In a nation like the United States, where the vast majority of the people are contented to go their own way, performing the duties from which they gain a livelihood, and where there is general satisfaction with the form of government and the liberty which is granted under the Constitution, no particular alarm is felt in regard to sporadic attempts at the overthrow of the government and the beneficent institutions of the United States. Thus it has happened that the warnings which have been published from time to time about the growth of anarchism in this country have not attracted any particular attention. In this correspondence some time ago it was noted that the anarchistic or bolshevik sentiment was growing by leaps and bounds and that the mere fact that it promised something new, more active than socialism and more bloody than anything that has yet been offered, was making it attractive to the people of this country afflicted with the disease of unrest. But it was not until the anarchist sentiment was boldly expressed within a stone's throw of the White House and within reach of the shadow of the Washington monument that people woke up to the fact that under the guise of free speech this country was harboring an insidious propaganda which meant its overthrow if the promoters could have their way. But when the country does wake up it is more than likely that it will show these agitators that this is not a fertile field for anarchistic doctrines. It may be necessary for local communities to take this matter in hand, as the movement would have to become of large proportions before the general government would feel warranted in interfering.

The time was, many years ago, when Senator Eugene Hale of Maine, father of the present Senator Hale of that state, was the real gloom of the senate. He was forever making dire predictions. He saw in the demand for an increased army and navy danger to American institutions. The war with Spain and the acquisition of the Philippines he regarded as a step in the direction of imperialism and the destruction of our system of government.

The legitimate successor of Eugene Hale in the senate is Charles S. Thomas of Colorado. His lugubriousness has become very pronounced. Like Hale, he sees danger in the vast expenditures of the government. The growth of office-holding, the far-reach-

ing influence of militarism, the spread of anarchism, and many other things cause the Colorado senator to rise in his place and solemnly warn the senate and the country that "the worst is yet to come."

Almost in the same class with Thomas is Senator King of Utah, who is not quite so outspoken but in private conversation sees many rocks ahead for the ship of state. The pessimistic predictions of these Democratic senators sometimes find an echo upon the Republican side, but in the main the senate goes ahead blithely, and usually a very good working majority votes down the propositions of Thomas and his fellow pessimists.

It seems that quite a number of farmers have been somewhat uneasy about the government's guaranty of \$2.25 a bushel for wheat. The subject came up in the house the other day and Chairman Lever of the committee on agriculture, replying to members who said that their constituents were doubtful, said: "You can give them the absolute assurance that so far as the committee on agriculture is concerned there is a unanimous feeling that the guaranty shall be kept. I do not believe that there will be a dissenting voice in the house of representatives against that proposition." In fact there is no real disposition to prevent the guaranty from being carried out, even though it is likely to cost the government well on to two billions of dollars.

Minority Leader Mann and Secretary Baker are having quite an interesting controversy. Mann makes his speeches in the house and Baker replies by letters. Mann reads the letters and then makes his comments. These two men are very well fitted to carry on a controversy of that kind. Both are keen, and while Mann is somewhat impetuous, Baker is complacent, and so the controversy is quite interesting. In the house recently Mann was speaking of the secretary and said:

"Now, Secretary Baker is a fine gentleman, complacent in his style and manner; and when somebody under him tells him that everything is lovely and the goose hangs high, he believes it, I assume. At least he tells us it is so."

That remark was made in regard to the many complaints that have been heard relative to the conditions of soldiers.

Women Busy in 1961.

The activities of women in war work recalls the work of the women during the Civil war in a little village of New York. William H. Shelton, in a reminiscent article in Century, says:

"Our village had a decided opinion about the war, and when the ladies who had played battles and shuttlecock wanted to do their bit in a Red Cross way they selected the little red cannon house as the scene of their activity. The yellow gun carriage, with its double trail, was wheeled out upon the grass, its brass gun actually pointing south, with the round iron balls hard by in the portable chest, to make way for tables and chairs. Here at fixed intervals the ladies met to make havelocks and pick lint. For the first they brought good cotton drilling, and for the soft lint they scraped the oldest sheets and pillow cases of fine linen from their grandmothers' wedding chests."

DETRIMENTAL TO AMERICAN LABOR

**International Standardization of
Wages and Restrictions,
Impossible.**

WOULD BENEFIT ONLY EUROPE

Secretary Morrison Asserts That Just Plan Would Be to Establish Standards of This Country in the Rest of the World.

At the headquarters of the American Federation of Labor at Washington it is said that the proposals now under consideration by the British war cabinet looking toward the establishment of an international tribunal to adjust labor conditions possibly as an adjunct to a league of nations, do not meet with favor by the American organization.

News dispatches from London and private advices to labor officials lately have indicated that several such proposals would be presented to the peace conference, and that some of them would contemplate international standardization of wages, and restrictions, making impossible the "sweating" of labor anywhere.

"No one will object to dealing a death blow to 'sweating,'" Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor said, "but I question if American labor will turn its affairs over to an international committee."

"Under such a system, iron workers in America could not improve conditions if their present standards are in excess of the Belgian iron workers, for instance. This would be a good system for the employers of America and England, whose workers are better conditioned than those on the continent."

"The best way to internationalize standards of working people is first to establish American standards. Any other system of internationalization means that the American worker must surrender gains made, or the American worker must postpone further gains until workers in Europe reach his present standard."

"The American worker will accept no such principle, regardless of any decision that may be made at the peace conference."

No Wage Reduction Soon.

That no early reduction of wages of steel workers is contemplated in large industries was indicated by announcement made at Youngstown, Ohio.

"We do not expect any reduction of wages within six months," said James A. Campbell, president of Youngstown Sheet and Tube company, in an interview. "There ought not to be any before we have a world crop. We have to feed the people of the other side now."

W. A. Thomas, president of the Brier Hill Steel company, said: "We are not going to reduce wages."

Steel plants are reported busy and while a large number of new orders have not been received, deferred orders, accumulated during the war, will keep the industries busy for some time, it is asserted.

Labor Bureaus Merged.

Co-ordination of labor offices, civilian and military, has been effected in Saskatchewan, and the scheme worked out by the Dominion and provincial authorities will be in working order within a few days. The provincial labor bureau has four offices of its own which have been in operation for more than a year, and the Saskatchewan commission for the employment of returned soldiers has eight offices, four of them being located at points where the provincial labor bureau also has offices. Where there is duplication of two offices they are being merged into one. The new system provides for the Saskatchewan commission, having representatives in the co-ordinated employment offices so that the claims of returned men for work will get a preference.

Evil of Child Labor.

If eight hours of toil a day marks the efficient limits of an adult, as has been agreed by the government, all enlightened employers and the labor unions, how much less able is the growing body of a child fitted to endure 10 or 12 hours without permanent injury? To our shame, child labor is on the increase in many cities, even in such an enlightened and typical American community as Indianapolis, according to the federal census; and if the bill pending in congress fails for one reason to become law we may expect a still greater augmentation to the ranks of this pitiable class.—Chicago Evening Post.

Mine Accidents Decrease.

In the anthracite coal regions of Pennsylvania for the first 11 months of 1918 there were 419 fatal accidents inside the mines and 89 outside. For 1917 the number inside was 451 and outside 91. In the bituminous region for the 11 months of 1918 there were 416 inside the mines and 43 outside, while in 1917 the number inside was 424 and outside 37. These figures were announced by the state department of mines. The report says: "The record is an exceedingly good one and is an indication of extraordinary care on the part of the workers, considering the rapidity with which they were required to do their work."

AS TO MEN AND HUSBANDS

According to This Writer There is a Subtle Distinction Between the Two Species.

Immediately after the wedding ceremony men become dull and uninteresting and turn into husbands, says a writer in Judge. Husbands are all just alike and can be sorted out of any social gathering by the same set expression about the eyes and mouth.

It is more trouble to teach a husband to fetch and carry than a fox terrier puppy, and as a rule the puppy acts much better when there is company around. Husbands wait until some Sunday morning when you have distinguished guests with you for the week end. They burrow in the back of the closet and pull things off the high shelves and go through the rag bag. Then they appear at the breakfast table in the coat of one suit, the trousers of another and a fancy vest, with an inch-wide tie tied in a four-in-hand as a finish.

And when you advertise your horror in a frantic effort to convince the visitors that he is suffering from temporary aberration any and every husband will assume an air of bewildered innocence and say:

"Why, what's the matter with this? It's just what I wear every Sunday morning when there's no one here!"

Husbands always keep the Sunday papers on the floor. No man ever does this until he is married. His mother will not let him.

Husbands read to you the printed recipes they find on the woman's page of the paper. They get enthusiastic about some dish they have always declared they would rather die than eat and say:

"Now, there's an idea for you. Why can't we ever have something like that?"

Women acquire a husband for much the same reason that a man gets a cane. They are a fearful bother, but one presents a better appearance with one in hand.

Many Uses for Gunpowder.

Black powder has been made and used for centuries, and up until a few years ago was the only kind of powder made. While it has been replaced for many uses by high explosives, it is still in great demand. More of it was used in the United States in the year 1917 than in any previous year, as nothing has been found to equal it for the economical mining of coal, blasting of slate, blasting of stone, where it is desirable to get out large unbroken pieces, or in earth blasting, where it is desired to move a mass of earth bodily, and where there can be no danger of igniting dust, gas or fire damp.

HUN SLAVE DRIVE

How Kaiser's Minions Deported Belgian Peasants.

Unfortunate People Herded Along Highways Like Cattle—Dapper Lieutenant Found Much That Was Amusing in Spectacle.

John Lowrey Simpson gives a vivid little pen-picture of a German deportation of civilian Belgians in Century:

"So we slackened pace, rolled by the outlying dwellings, and with a scuffling of brakes slowed around the corner into Waelhem—Waelhem, wrecked in a battle. Up and down the long street, gaunt husks of houses leered gruesomely. Perhaps the vacant stare of houses ruined in a battle is distinguishable from the vacant stare of houses ruined out of a battle. I do not know. With the passing of time those more intimate variations of detail from horror to horror weather into the general scheme. Waelhem covered pale under the chill of the morning."

"A little horde of country folk crammed the roadway and shouldered even against the two rows of white houses. On the doorsteps women stood clutching their children, the white tiptoeing to catch a glimpse of what passed ahead. A few stout soldiers with fixed bayonets rounded back the crowd into a semicircle; the people on each hand clung to the sides of the buildings as by their nails, and held their ground more obstinately than in the center. Crowds always cling desperately to the sides of buildings. Ahead marched—if the word is too proud a one—a procession. There are a dozen men, perhaps, laden with bundles and packs, clad in the loose, shaggy stuffs of Belgian peasantry. The inevitable colored muffers straggled over their shoulders. Their caps were drawn tight, as though to deny the cold. Languorous defense, pains to no avail; for the cold crept into their mouths, frozen and dead. The scattering of soldiers trudged beside them, gazing sullenly first at their bayonets, then at the file of prisoners. In the van rode two officers. Their horses clattered and fidgeted, as though to imply that mount, like master, was bored by these people and their troubles—foolish troubles, follies of peasants."

"As the company advanced, a person stood regarding it. He was not attired in rough blouse and sabots. He wore a long gray coat with a fur collar; his feet were compressed in narrow black boots. Steel spurs twinkled at his heels. A jaunty round cap perched on the back of his head, a scant trifle to one side. His mustache was cropped till it might have been molded there on his face. Under his eyes drooped dark, heavy rings. He sported a morsel of braid on each shoulder, and the tip end of a scabbard peeked from under his huge coat. The men lumbered by, and the women pressed closer toward him. He smiled. He was a German lieutenant."

Joy in Homely Happenings.

Curiously enough, as one reads letters and reports that come to one personally, one finds that the interest of our boys in France is centered on the quaint and homely happenings of everyday living. The big certainties—life, death, immortality, God—they joyously take for granted, with their strange, new insight into things spiritual, their presence of reality; but perhaps for the first time they are realizing every-day joys, know what quiet means, and rest and needed sleep; are aware of the hollowness of clean clothing, the exquisite flavor of coarse food, the divine loveliness of dawn, and noontime and night.

And so, having found out about life, they know all there is for us to know about death. Instead of losing its strange distinction, death for them has taken on a new splendor, as have the common things of life.

And as to their losing the vision, forgetting—those who live to come back—they may. But they have known reality, those boys, and one does not easily drop into materialism after one has attained that knowledge.—Atlantic Monthly.

Cultivation in Burma.

We who think of Burma as in India must modify our ideas considerably. As a matter of fact it lies outside the Indian region, and owes its connection mainly to its recent history, for as will be recalled Burma was conquered at the expense of India, and in a great measure by the Indians who assisted in garrisoning, policing and constructing its public works. Without this aid Burma's annexation and government would have been exceedingly difficult, for back in the hills of the Irrawaddy valley basin there are still wild tribes scarcely emerged from conditions of savagery, whose chief aim in life until recently was the practice of inter-tribal conflicts and head-hunting. It is to these people the Burmese are connected by racial affinities, though the former have developed amazingly under the influence of civilization, a standard which is high according to the Asiatic code. As a result, the hill tribes are sparse today, and Burmese civilization is on the increase throughout the country.

DAILY HEALTH TALKS

What Doctor Pierce Has Done For Humanity!

BY DOCTOR CRIFFS.

It has always seemed to me that Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., should be placed near the top when a list of America's great benefactors is written. He studied and conquered human diseases to a degree that few realize. Whenever he found a remedy that overcame disease, he at once announced it in the newspapers and told where it could be bought at a small price. He did not follow the usual custom of keeping the ingredients secret, so that the rich only could afford to buy the medicine, but openly printed the name of each root and herb he used. And so to-day the names of Dr. Pierce and his medicines are widely known, and they stand for better health and better citizenship.

One of this great physician's most successful remedies is known as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. These are little, sugar-coated pills, composed of Mayapple, leaves of aloe, root of jalap—things that Nature grows in the ground. These Pellets are safe because they move the bowels gently, leaving no bad after-effects, as so many pills do. Very often they make a person who aches them feel like a new man or woman, for they cleanse the intestines of hard, decayed and poisonous matter that accumulates when one is constipated. If you are constipated, by all means go to your druggist and get some of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They may prove to be the very thing your system requires to make you well and happy.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Al! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuff up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.

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WANTED—Woman to take home washing and ironing. Mrs. Arthur Hagberg, Phone 319. 3567-2131f

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FOR RENT—Four room cottage, at 901 3rd St. S., city water, electric lights, \$19.00. J. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 3559-2111f

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FOR SALE—One pair bob sleds. Model Laundry. 3416-1781f

FOR SALE—1918 Ford sedan, wire wheels, extra tire, large steering wheel, seat covers, tool box, shock absorbers, etc. Guaranteed in every detail. Cash or terms. Woodhead Motor Co. 3523-2031f

MOVING TO TOWN and want to sell one horse seven years old, buggy, harness, cutter, set light bob sleighs, two-horse seeder, 20 pullets. Best offer over \$100 takes it. Phone 695-R. Frank Leonard. 3529-2041f

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WANTED—Unfurnished rooms for housekeeping in modern house. Address R. % Dispatch. 3569-2131f

LOST—Beaver pillow muf between Dunn's drug store and Busy Bee Shoe Shop. Finder please return to Dispatch office for reward. 3565-2151f

FOUND—Driving glove for left hand. Owner can recover at Dispatch office and pay ad. 3564-2121f

LOST—Brown leather mitten between Best theatre and Olympia Candy Kitchen. Return to Dispatch office. 3563-2121f

GOVERNMENT will hold Railway Mail Clerk examinations Braiherd March 15th \$92 month. Experience unnecessary. Men, 18 or over, desiring clerkships write for free particulars. Raymond Terry, (former U. S. Exam. Inet), Continental Building, Washington. 3557-2111f

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Reading Advertisements Has Helped to Make This a United Country

Jim Hawkins props his feet on the rose festooned porch rail in an Oregon suburb and reads the same motor car advertisement that Cousin Peter is studying as he rides home from work in the New York subway.

In Arizona you can buy the same tooth paste and tobacco that are used by the folks in Maine.

California fruit growers advertise their oranges and lemons to the people of the East. New Hampshire factories make ice cream freezers for Texas households.

There can be no division in a country so bound together by taste, habit and custom.

You can meet up with anybody in the United States and quickly get on a conversational footing because you both read the same advertisements.

Advertising is the daily guide to what's good to buy.

Advertisements give you the latest news from the front line of business progress.

Reading advertisements enables you to get more for your money because they tell you where, what and when to buy.

And it is a well-known fact that advertised goods are reliable and better value than the unadvertised kinds.

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I. W. W. AGITATION MEANS ANARCHY

American Divine Links Its Propaganda Work With System in Russia.

EXPLAINS SLAV RULE

Re. G. A. Simons, Recently Returned From Petrograd, Tells Senate Committee Government Is Military Dictatorship.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The Bolshevik regime in Russia was described by the Rev. G. A. Simons in testimony before the senate committee investigating lawless agitation in the United States, as a minority military dictatorship supported by terrorism.

Dr. Simons, who for many years has been head of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Russia, said most of the Bolshevik leaders were Jews, many from the East Side of New York and that they had set aside large sums for the spread of their doctrine in all the countries of the world.

Links I. W. W. and Bolshevik.

The I. W. W. movement in this country was said by Dr. Simons to be identical with the Bolsheviks' system. Bolshevik propaganda apparently is being carried on in the United States, Dr. Simons said, by means of speakers, pamphlets and articles in newspapers and magazines. He declared that John Reed and Albert Rhys Williams, American writers, had been closely affiliated with the Bolshevik government in Russia. The witness said publishers of Bolshevik literature in the United States included the Rand School of Social Science in New York, Charles H. Kerr & Co., Chicago; The Socialist Literature company, New York, and Novymir, a Russian newspaper in New York.

Close to Bolshevik Leaders.

Dr. Simons, whose headquarters were in Petrograd before he fled the country last October, told the committee that John Reed and his wife, Louise Bryant, were very close to the Bolshevik leaders in Petrograd. Reed was described as "persona grata to the Bolshevik government so that that wanted to make him consul general in New York."

"Was he regarded by Americans there as American or Bolshevik?" questioned Senator King of Utah.

"As a Bolshevik," replied the witness. "There were a number of American Bolshevik sympathizers there. We referred to them as 'mushheaded middleheads.'"

Albert Rhys Williams frequently participated in Bolshevik meetings, Dr. Simons said, and "was heart and soul with them, speaking in very tender terms of them."

CALLS BOLSHEVISM MENACE

Minnesota Governor Delivers an Address at Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 13.—That the prophecy of Lincoln, made before the Civil war, of ill-omen for the nation, resulting from increasing disregard for law and the disposition to substitute the wild passion in lieu of the sober judgment of courts and the worse than savage mobs for the executive ministers of justice, again is being fulfilled by the spirit of Bolshevism, was the declaration of Governor Burnquist of Minnesota, principal speaker at Lincoln memorial observances of the Republican club of Seattle.

FINAL ACTION IS DEFERRED

Senate Fails to Reach Vote on War Revenue Bill.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Final action on the conference report of the \$6,000,000,000 war revenue bill was deferred by an early adjournment of the Senate in observance of the birthday anniversary of Abraham Lincoln. This unexpected move came after Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, senior Republican of the conferees, had precipitated a general debate with a three-hour attack on what he termed extravagance and waste of appropriations since the war began.

While promising the revenue measure his support, the Pennsylvania senator said it taxed the country about to the breaking point and asserted that the American people were "alarmed if not disgusted by congressional appropriations."

DRINK TO KAISER'S HEALTH

Interned German Officers Express Wish for His Restoration.

Berne, Feb. 13.—German officers interned in Switzerland celebrated the birthday of the former emperor at Lucerne, all of them drinking to his health, his early return to Germany and restoration to his former power. They then drafted a telegram to Amerongen which is said to have been so insulting to the Allied nations that the telegraph office refused to accept it.

BENJAMIN IDE WHEELER

President of the University of California Resigns.



The resignation of President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California was presented to a meeting of the University board of regents at San Francisco.

LOOKING INTO FUTURE

Belgium Seeks Safety From German Aggression.

Asks Peace Conference for Slice of Territory Now in Possession of Germany.

Paris, Feb. 13.—The supreme council has the Belgian peace claims, which include a demand for the return to Belgium of territory held by Germany, in addition to restitution of certain territory held by Holland, and request for free navigation of the Scheldt.

The German district demanded are Montjoie and Malmédy, just east of the present Belgian-German border. The population of these districts is mainly Walloon and their possession by Belgium, it was pointed out, would deprive Germany of an outlet for a new invasion of Belgium.

The Allied powers, according to international experts, face these two vital problems:

Imposition of sufficiently restrictive measures of Germany to remove any possibility of her renewing the war.

Tempering the peace settlement both as regards Germany and Russia to prevent these countries from entering an alliance that would be a permanent menace to world peace.

French Propose Huge Military Police Force

By ROBERT J. BENDER. (United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Paris, Feb. 13.—The question of the establishment of a huge international military and naval police force under the league of nations, was to be threshed out at today's meeting of the league committee. The proposal is understood to have been submitted by the French. American and British delegates are said to oppose it. The belief was expressed that the discussion of this new article might prevent the acceptance of the constitution today, and thus eliminate the possibility of presenting the draft to the general peace congress tomorrow. President Wilson plans to leave Paris for home tomorrow night, but if the committee fails to reach agreement today he will have to wait until Sunday night.

The proposal for a big international army and navy is said to have been included in one of the two new articles proposed by the French. It can be stated on the highest authority that the report circulated in Paris yesterday that America and the British had agreed to the plan for an international police force was unfounded.

League Not Completed Before President Leaves

(By United Press)

Paris, Feb. 13.—President Wilson in his address to members of the French association for a society of nations at Murat palace indicated he was convinced that work on the league of nations will not be completed before his return to the United States. "I am confident that after my return to France we will celebrate its completion, or at least it will be in an advanced stage," he said.

Foch Goes With New Armistice Terms

(By United Press)

Paris, Feb. 13.—Marshal Foch was to leave for Treves today with the new conditions on which the extension of the armistice will be based. It is understood they provide that Germany may obtain food from the allies after the devastated countries have been supplied. The terms are understood to provide for the strengthening of military pressure on Germany, and to embrace what will ultimately be an important part of the actual peace treaty.

President Wilson May Leave for Home Friday



Youngest U. S. Doughboy
Back as Stowaway, Held
Here on Mother's Pleas



Lots of things have been crowded into the life of Private Charles F. Kavaney, said to have been the youngest American soldier in the world war. He will be seventeen years old in May. He enlisted in 1916, saw service on the Mexican border and went to France with his regiment in June, 1917. He went over the top several times, saw all but eight of his 217 comrades fall, was cited for bravery, left his regiment, went to Brest and stowed away on a home-coming transport. When he arrived at New York he would have been sent back for trial had not his mother convinced Adjutant-General McCann that he should intercede. He is being held there until his case is further investigated.

King Ferdinand of Roumania Wounded

(By United Press)

Copenhagen, Feb. 13.—King Ferdinand was wounded when the royal palace at Bucharest was bombed by the Rumanian revolutionaries, says a Vienna dispatch. The royal family it is reported, attempted to flee to Jassy, but workmen prevented them. The revolution is spreading throughout the country.

BUTTE STRIKE INDORSED

American Federation of Labor Unions Favor Miners.

Action Adds to Complication of Labor Situation—Smelters Expected to Close.

Butte, Mont., Feb. 13.—Complications of the labor situation in Butte have been increased by indorsement by the Silver Bow Trades and Labor assembly and American Federation of Metal Mine Workers' union (independent) and Metal Mine Workers' union No. 899 of the Industrial Workers of the World.

This development and the expected early closing of the smelters at Anaconda and Great Falls, which the Anaconda Copper Mining company officials say is inevitable, unless ore production should resume immediately, broadens the field of the labor controversy.

No American Federation of Labor union yet has voted to strike in sympathy with the miners. The electricians, machinists, blacksmiths and structural iron workers, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, have taken cognizance of the strike, voting against working for the mining companies until the controversy with the miners is settled.

The engineers' unions, the largest in Butte, will meet to hear the report of the committee appointed to recommend what action the engineers should take.

The arrival of a machine gun detachment from Camp Lewis, Major A. M. Jones, commander of the 44th Infantry detachment in Butte, explained was in compliance with his request for reinforcements. Soldiers now here, because of their lack of numbers, have been required to work long hours on guard duty, he said.

Withdrawal of Troops First Question Discussed

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 13.—The withdrawal of the United States and allied troops from Northern Russia and Siberia will be the first question before the proposed allied-Russian session at Princess Island, diplomats understood today.

Revolutionary Demonstrations in Bucharest

(By United Press)

Copenhagen, Feb. 13.—A revolutionary demonstration was suppressed by troops in Bucharest, say Berlin dispatches to the Tidende. The dispatch said the crowds attempted to storm King Ferdinand's motor car but the troops forced the crowds back.

General Session of Peace Congress This Week Doubtful

(By United Press)

Paris, Feb. 13.—Whether a general session of the peace conference will be held this week was still doubtful today at the conclusion of this morning's meeting of the league of nations committee. Seven articles of the redraft of the constitution had been completed. The question of an international force proposed by the French had not been reached when the committee resumed its session at three-thirty this afternoon.

Pittsburg Bank Closed By Examiner

(By United Press)

Pittsburg, Feb. 13.—The Park bank of Pittsburg, with deposits totaling more than two million two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, was closed by the state bank examiner because of alleged defalcations on the part of an employee.

Arrested for Threatening the President

(By United Press)

Cleveland, Feb. 13.—Pietro Pierre will be arraigned next Wednesday on the charge of threatening the life of President Wilson and the cabinet members.

Crowder Renominated Judge Advocate Gen.

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 13.—Major General Enoch Crowder was today renominated by President Wilson as judge advocate general for four years.

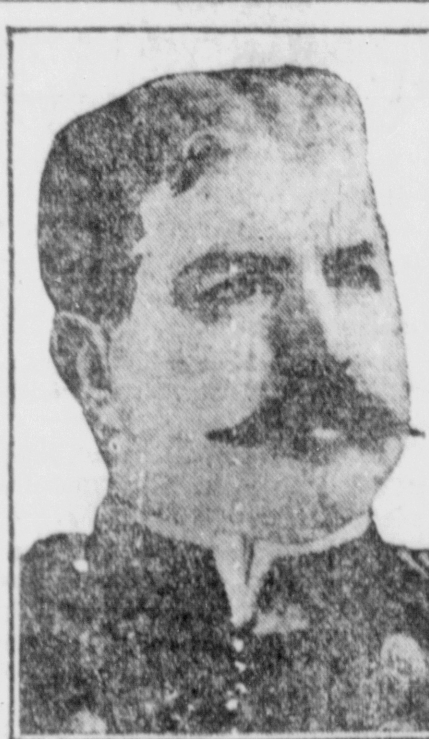
Former Secretary of Treasury and Movie Star Who Induced Him to Take \$100,000 Job



"Doug" Fairbanks, "Doug" McAdoo and Douglas Fairbanks. "Doug" is said to have induced Mr. McAdoo to accept \$100,000 a year to act as general counsel to the United Artists' Distributing Association. This association, known as the "Big Five" in the film world is composed of Fairbanks, D. W. Griffith, Charlie Chaplin, Mary Pickford and William S. Hart.

REAR ADMIRAL HOOD

Retired Naval Officer Dies at Annapolis, Md.



Rear Admiral John Hood, United States navy, retired, died at the Naval hospital at Annapolis, Md., of Bright's disease. Admiral Hood was in his sixty-second year and made his home in Annapolis.

FAVOR LIMITING ARMY

Some House Members Object to Over 175,000 Men.

Leaders Refuse to Predict When Vote Will Be Taken on Appropriation Bill.

Washington, Feb. 13.—General opposition to a standing army in excess of 175,000 men as authorized in the national defense act three years ago was voiced in the house bill in debate on the annual army appropriation bill with its provision for a military force of 536,000 officers and men during the period of demobilization.

Chairman Dent of the Military committee was questioned closely as to the future army, several members asking if the force provided in the bill was to be the permanent army strength. The chairman explained that it was not, and there was general applause from both sides of the house when Representative McKenzie, of Illinois, Republican, said the Military committee favored a small army.

Mr. McKenzie said the proposal of the army general staff for a permanent peace-time military establishment of 500,000 had been rejected by the committee and Representative Kahn of California, Republican, interrupted to say that not a single member of the committee favored the proposal.

Leaders offer no prediction as to when a vote would be taken on the measure, which carries a total of \$1,100,000,000 for the War department during the fiscal year beginning next July 1.

Scrappy Pair.
"I was single, and had a dog's life," said the widower. "I married and had a cat and dog's life."—Exchange.

WANT WILSON TO ACT AS ARBITOR

Serbian Delegates Ask President to Decide Their Boundary With Italy.

CONSIDER ARMISTICE

Pershing, Foch and Haig Meet With War Council to Discuss Terms of Extension—Plans for Reparation Outlined.

Paris, Feb. 13.—In addition to Marshal Ferdinand Foch, Marshal H. P. Petain and Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, General J. J. Pershing and General Diaz attended the session of the supreme war council to deal with the terms for the renewal of the armistice.

Paris, Feb. 13.—A note signed by N. P. Pachitch, former Serbian premier; M. Trumbitch, president of the Jugo-Slav committee in Paris, and Dr. M. R. Vesnitch, Serbian minister to France, the three Jugo-Slav delegates to the peace conference, has been received by President Wilson asking him to act as arbitrator in their dispute with Italy regarding the frontier along Istria and the Adriatic.

This is in consequence of the president's last interview on this question with M. Trumbitch and Premier Victoriano Orlando of Italy. M. Trumbitch claimed all of Istria, Flume and Dalmatia.

Russ Conference Chances Improve.
Prospects are brightening for the assembling of at least four of the Russian factions at the conference on the Princes' Islands.

Word has come from the Ukraine that the government of that former part of Russia will participate and it is reported that the government of General Denikine has indicated a desire to join the conference. The government of Crimea already has accepted the invitation as has the Bolshevik government. Success, however, is believed to depend upon the willingness of the soviet to give certain guarantees such as the cessation of hostilities and the withdrawal of the Bolshevik forces from the provinces which they have invaded. It is by no means certain that the soviet government will agree to any such guarantees.

Three Plans for Reparation.

The reparation commission of the peace conference has before it, according to the Temps, three proposals as a basis for the settlement of claims against Germany. It is said the French propose to assess against Germany all damages to property, national and individual, from the war, in addition to France's outlay for military purposes. The British plan, proposed by Premier Hughes of Australia, differs from the French only that he gives no preference to any class of claims.

The American plan opposes any demands, except losses from pillage and devastation by German armies, it is said.

Total claims under the first two plans are estimated at \$200,000,000,000. The American plan would reduce the total to an amount Germany probably will be able to pay.

HINES MAKES SUGGESTION

Asks Labor Leaders to Lay Grievances Before Rail Board.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Director General Hines has suggested to labor leaders that instead of asking legislation affecting working conditions from state legislatures, they take up desired changes with the Railroad administration, so that state governments may not be put in a position of controlling the national government.

Mr. Hines said that union leaders had expressed approval of the suggestion.

OPERATING EXPENSES CUT

Railroads in Central West Saved Considerable Money.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Estimated annual economies of \$6,442,618.84 were effected by consolidation of switching, car inspection service, lines, stations, re-routing of freight trains and other means, according to the annual report of Hale Holden, railroad director of the Central Western region, made public, showing also an increase of 173 per cent in operating revenue.

Cotton Crop May Be Cut.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 13.—A call for a general meeting to be held in New Orleans Feb. 22 when a definite effort will be made to reduce by one-third the cotton acreage in all Southern states has been made here at a meeting of representatives of agricultural, commercial, financial and industrial interests of Texas. The governors of all cotton growing states will be asked to issue a proclamation setting aside Feb. 22 as pledge day and all farmers will be asked to pledge themselves to reduce their acreage.

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THE WEATHER

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Co-operative observer's record, 6 P. M.—

Feb. 12, maximum 30, minimum 22. Reading in evening, 29. North-east wind. Cloudy.

Feb. 13, minimum during night, 29.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

For Spring Water phone 264. Miss Nell Conliff of Pequot was visiting in Braintree.

Mrs. W. F. Dieckhaus returned today from a visit in Pillager.

Wanted—Apprentice girl at the Gardner Hat Shop. 21513

Mrs. W. J. Zimmerman went to Chicago today for a visit with friends and relatives.

H. T. Rogers of Deerwood, known all over the iron range as "Chemical" Rogers, was in Braintree today.

Dr. C. A. Nelson went to Merrillfield this afternoon to examine a carload of cattle for shipment to Iowa.

For bargains in houses and lots, see J. R. Smith Sleeper Block. 2261f

Dr. C. G. Nordin has bought the residence of C. B. White at 422 North Fourth street and will make it his home.

Joseph Murphy fell and broke his leg while in St. Paul and is now being treated at the local railway hospital.

Mrs. A. D. Cater of Pine River is a guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cater of the Imperial block.

Rev. George Herbold of this city and Presiding Elder Plantkoff held services and quarterly conference at Grace church in Pequot.

Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

NOTICE

Aurora Lodge will confer the Fellowcraft Degree, Friday, Feb. 14th at 7:30 P. M.

nearly severed and several were badly bruised.

Daily-daily people never amount to anything. Show your enterprise and ambition by taking a business course in the Brainerd Commercial College, "Minnesota's Best Business College." Write or call for our particulars. 21512

Unity Lodge I. O. O. F. observed the anniversary of Lincoln's birth at the regular meeting held last night. Because of initiatory work the exercises were short. Several short talks were given by members and visitors.

Frank Dufort returned this afternoon from Brainerd, where he had been to visit his nephew, Irving Germain, who submitted to an operation on Monday for appendicitis. Mr. Germain is getting along nicely.—Little Falls Transcript.

All accounts due Johnson Brothers should be paid promptly, as the firm is closing out its business. Until further notice accounts should be paid at the present store location. 21516

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Dahlvang and son left for Brainerd Saturday where they will make their home in the future. Mrs. Dahlvang has been staying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Anderson, while her husband has been in camp at Newport, Ore.—Verndale Sunday.

A remarkable exhibition of water pipe is in the window of Levant & Ott's store where the water and light board shows pipe which had been in service 35 years. One section of pipe five feet long carried fourteen clamps. The display is made as an object lesson of the need of new water pipe and other improvements asked by the board.

Oh, Boys! Where do we go? To the masquerade dance. S. A. F. Lodge No. 57, Bjornstjarnan will give a masquerade ball Tuesday evening, Feb. 18th, at Trades & Labor hall, Iron Exchange. Prizes will be given. Everybody welcome. 21513p

Dispatch want ads measured over half a column Wednesday evening. There were 4 help wanted, 6 for rent, 4 for sale and 5 miscellaneous wants. Wants are a cent a word first insertion, half a cent a word each insertion thereafter. These are cash terms. Telephone your want, No. 74, or mail the ad or have it sent to the office.

Saturday, Feb. 15, is pay day and the wise advertiser uses Dispatch columns to announce his merchandise news to Brainerd people. Dispatch ads are read. The paper is constantly increasing its circulation. The local news carried, say Wednesday evening, exceeded the local news of some of the larger cities. A feature was Tom Wood's up to the minute picture snapped at Los Angeles, Cal., and appearing in the Dispatch through the courtesy of the Duluth News Tribune.

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FARM BUREAU NOTES GIVEN

An Exchange List to Aid Farmers of Crow Wing County to be Published Soon

SEED TESTING IS ADVOCATED

County Agent Has Purchased Supply of Bliss Triumph and Green Mountain Potatoes

The Crow Wing County Farm Bureau is arranging for the publication of an exchange list and the first issue will be put out within the next ten days.

A copy will be mailed to every individual interested in agriculture which the county agent has the name of.

Future issues of the exchange list will be sent to Farm Bureau members only.

The purpose of the bulletin is to assist in the distribution of seed stocks and farm animals and anything else which the farmer wishes to sell or buy.

Any Farm Bureau member wishing to take advantage of this method of advertising should communicate with the county agent, E. A. Colquhoun, at once.

Seed Testing Time.

Because of the shortage of grass and clover seed this year, it is especially necessary that seeds purchased be tested for germination and purity. Any individual who desires to have seed tested may have it done free of charge through the Farm Bureau office.

The test for purity, as well as germination, is made at the seed laboratory at the University Farm.

Do not delay bringing in samples, as early testing will avoid the rush and consequent delay if samples are brought in later on.

The county agent has arranged for the purchase of some extra quality seed potato stock of the Bliss Triumph and Green Mountain varieties. These potatoes are certified seed and are raised by A. M. Sisler of Grand Rapids. Mr. Sisler furnished all of the seed stock which was used in raising potatoes for the county exhibit at the Grand Rapids show. Itasca county won first prize in the exhibit and there is no question but that the potatoes are some of the best that can be secured.

Farm Bureau Conference.

The annual Farm Bureau conference took place at the University Farm last week and was attended by Alton Thelander and the county agent. At this conference plans and methods of developing the Farm Bureaus of the state were considered. Every county now has a farm bureau and a county agent and under the new system the work seems to be gaining favor very rapidly.

County Agent Leader F. E. Balmer, is very much encouraged with the situation in the state at the present time and believes that Minnesota has one of the best systems of agricultural improvement that can be found anywhere.

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE DRY

Legislature Refuses to Modify the Prohibition Law.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 13.—The state house of representatives, by a vote of 173 to 140, killed a bill to legalize the sale of beer and light wines. The prohibition law adopted by the legislature two years ago made illegal the manufacture and sale of all intoxicating liquors and the bill killed would have modified the law.

Baker Names Liquidation Body.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Appointment of "The United States Liquidation commission—War department" to liquidate the business and financial affairs of the American army in England and France—was announced by Secretary Baker. Edwin B. Parker of Houston, Texas, is chairman.

Hoover Arrives in Brussels.

Brussels, Feb. 13.—Herbert C. Hoover, head of the Allied relief organization, has arrived here, having come principally because President Wilson was unable to visit Brussels at this time. Mr. Hoover will represent the President in conferences with Belgian officials.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—Oats, May, 55¢; Rye, February, \$1.31 1/4; May, \$1.32 1/4. Barley, choice, 80¢; 85¢. Corn, No. 3 white, \$1.15 @ 1.16; No. 3 yellow, \$1.20 @ 1.22.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Feb. 13.—Estimated receipts at the Union Stock Yards: Cattle, 3,000; calves, 1,500; hogs, 12,000; sheep, 2,500; horses, 20; cars, 296. Steers, \$7.00 @ 16.25; cows, \$8.00 @ 12.00; calves, \$6.00 @ 14.00; hogs, \$17.10 @ 17.25; sheep and lambs, \$8.00 @ 16.75.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Hogs—Receipts, 50,000; butchers, \$17.85 @ 18.05; light, \$17.50 @ 17.90; packing, \$16.75 @ 17.70; throwouts, \$16.25 @ 16.75; pigs, good to choice, \$15.50 @ 17.40. Cattle—Receipts, 22,000; beef cattle, good, choice and prime, \$16.25 @ 20.00; common and medium, \$10.40 @ 16.25.

Minneapolis Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—BUTTER—Extras, 42¢; extra firsts, 39¢; firsts, 38¢; seconds, 37¢; dairies, 33¢; packing stock, 31¢.

EGGS—Fresh, prime firsts, now cases, free from rots, small, dirties and checks out, per doz, 35¢; current receipts, rots out, \$9.60; checks and seconds, doz, 30¢; dirties, candied, doz, 30¢; quotations on eggs include cases.

DRESSED POULTRY brings 20¢ per lb above quotations on live stock on young and old chickens. Turkeys, fat, 8 lbs and over, 37¢; turkeys, fair to good, 20¢ @ 28¢; No. 2, thin and poorly dressed, 18¢ @ 20¢; culls not wanted; turkeys, old toms, 35¢; ducks, No. 1, 26¢; No. 2, 20¢; geese, No. 1, 22¢; No. 2, 16¢ @ 18¢.

New York Butter and Eggs.

New York, Feb. 13.—Butter, firm; 97 1/8; creamery higher than extras, 50 1/2 @ 51¢; creamery extras, 49 1/2 @ 50¢; firsts, 45 @ 48 1/2¢; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 32 1/2 @ 34¢.

Eggs, firm; 11,500; fresh gathered extras, 48 1/2 @ 49¢; fresh gathered, regular packed, extra firsts, 47 1/2 @ 48¢; do firsts, 46 @ 47¢.

Ready to Fly to Europe.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Flight from the United States to Europe will be started at once, Capt. B. B. Lipsner stated. If Secretary Daniels consents to the use of the mammoth navy seaplane NC-1 in response to a telegraphic request for the machine. Captain Lipsner formerly was in charge of the federal airplane mail service. "I am ready to start and have two of the best pilots in the country available if the request is granted," the captain said in a recent interview.

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Dance at Finnish hall Saturday, Feb. 15th. Music by Blue Ribbon orchestra. 21513

Mrs. Ole Sapre came down from Brainerd this morning to receive medical treatment for complications due to an attack of influenza.—Little Falls Transcript.

Miss Rose Anderson of Solway was in Bemidji yesterday, enroute to Brainerd where she will attend the Brainerd Business College.—Bemidji Daily Pioneer.

The Women's Benefit Association of the Macabees will have a Food Sale at Sorenson's Jewelry store, 7th street, Saturday, February 15th, beginning 2:30. 21412

Harold Nelson, employed by the Brainerd Motor Co., injured his hand quite badly when a hammer he was wielding slipped. One finger was

BRAINERD SOLDIERS' CLUB RE-ORGANIZED

The Brainerd Soldiers' club has secured new and larger quarters located in Northeast Brainerd, corner Second avenue and Kindred street.

Membership cards are being solicited by the organizers Sergt. Geo. P. Hanson and Wm. F. Rodenkirchen. All men between the age of 18 and 30 are invited to membership.

A complete set of athletic goods is to be added with bath, and many things to make a place of recreation to the home-coming soldiers and also for local boys.

The future of the club promises many surprises, such as bouts, dances, banquets and musical entertainments.

Membership tickets are sold at \$1 which entitles members to all privileges of the club.

Spasmotic Sermon.

Many a man finds himself in deep water before he gets in the swim.

LITTLE FALLS 19

BEMIDJI 17

Bemidji, Minn., Feb. 13.—Little Falls high school basketball team last night defeated Bemidji here 19 to 17. The score at the end of the second half was 16 to 16; and extra five minutes play gave the game to Little Falls.

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SONG RECITAL OF FREDERICK SOUTHWICK

The song recital of Frederick Southwick, baritone, with Mrs. Walter F. Wieland at the piano, will be given at Elks hall Friday evening, February 14. This is the program:

1. Romanza, "Herodias".....Massenet
2. (a) "The Bitterness of Love".....Dunn
- (b) "In Absence".....Mary Southwick
- (c) "We Two".....Walter Kramer
3. (a) "The Years at the Spring".....Hartog
- (b) "The Four-Leaf Clover".....Brownell
- (c) "Open the Gates of the Temple".....Knapp
4. (a) "Tim Rooney at the Fight".....Flynn
- (b) "A Little Bit o' Honey".....Bond
- (c) "The Americana Come".....Pay Foster

"The Star Spangled Banner" (With audience singing)
The price of admission will be 50c, tax not included.

SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. John Browers Entertain Party of Friends, Pleasant Afternoon is Spent

Mr. and Mrs. John Browers were surprised by a party of friends on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Hall took her large Victrola along and all enjoyed the music. Refreshments were served and a pleasant afternoon was spent.

Those present were Mrs. Wm. Hall, Mrs. Ladue, Mrs. Wm. Lasher, Mrs. Ray Fenstermacher, Mrs. Wm. Howard, Mrs. A. E. Bunnell, Mrs. Con Isle, Mrs. B. Farmer, Mrs. Rich, Mrs. R. Farmer, Mrs. Edwards and A. Mohler.

Champion Woman Fencer Who Meets All Comers to Swell War Service Fund

RELIEF NURSE IN HEALTH ASSOCIATION

Miss Frances Frenette, Crosby Girl, Engaged in the Work in Crow Wing and Aitkin Counties

REP. LONG INTRODUCES BILL

To Reimburse Village for Money Expended on the Armory—Mother's Club Meets in Crosby

Crosby, Minn., Feb. 14—Miss Frances Frenette, Relief nurse with the Minnesota Public Health Association, who has been nursing in Crow Wing and Aitkin counties for the past three months and in Brainerd for five weeks, has gone to International Falls where she will be employed four weeks.

Rep. P. J. Long has introduced a bill in the house seeking to reimburse the village for money expended on the armory.

At the Mothers' club meeting lunch was served by Mesdames Welch, Van Evera, Richards, W. B. Cook, Linemann and Benedict. The third annual charity ball of the club will be held Feb. 21 at the armory.

Mrs. W. H. Paulson and little daughter Eleanor have been visiting Mrs. Wm. Paulson of Aitkin.

Two services were held in St. Joseph's church Sunday, the Croatian at 9 a. m. and the regular parish service at 10:30 o'clock.

Judge Ezra R. Smith has returned from a business trip to Duluth.

Miss Minnie Wiggins will take a business course in Duluth.

Rev. W. J. Lowrie of Brainerd preached at the Presbyterian church on "The New Era."

"Among the Breckers" is a two-act comedy drama which was given under the auspices of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid.

Rev. C. L. Benedict has a vase made from a German shell sent by her son, Private Harold Benedict, now with the Army of Occupation.

Joe Hartman of the Sultana mine lost his car by fire.

RETURN FROM CHICAGO

Miss Selma Anderson and Miss Clara Dahl of the H. F. Michael Co. Speak of Spring Styles

Miss Selma Anderson and Miss Clara Dahl of the H. F. Michael Co. have returned from Chicago.

Miss Anderson is quite enthusiastic about the spring garments. Every indication is, she says, that suits will enjoy great popularity for the styles are so different and so attractive. There is also much to please those who wish something new in outer wraps. She said that the women have not had as many new styles offered them since the war began. Miss Anderson is again at her position in the store.

Miss Dahl took the course for corsetiers and soon expects her diploma. She is a popular saleslady.

Sleigh Ride Party

A sleigh ride party was given by Marie Branchaud and Ruth Vaughn Tuesday evening, twenty-four being present. After an enjoyable ride around the city they were all entertained at the home of Miss Vaughn. The evening was spent in playing games and music.

A most delicious lunch was served and all enjoyed the pleasant evening.

Dorcas Society

The Dorcas Young Peoples society of the Swedish Bethany church will meet at the Peter Benson home, 915 Fir street north, on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Misses Ethel Fredstrom and Ina Anderson will entertain. A good program has been prepared and a pleasant meeting is assured. All are welcome.

Missionary Society

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Carl Bentley, 623-9th St. So., Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. This is the last meeting of the year and all members are requested to be present. Please bring your mite boxes. Visitors are welcome.

Finnish Lutheran Church

Finnish Lutheran church, corner 14th and Quince streets—Sunday school at 11, Sunday evening services at 7:30. The Bible class will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 at the home of John Hill, Norwood street. Rev. A. Karhu, pastor.

RIVERTON

Riverton, Minn., Feb. 13—Mrs. Benjamin Ayer died suddenly of apoplexy. Severn E. Koop, deputy coroner, pronounced death due to apoplexy. She was about 45 years old and leaves a husband and four children.



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Robert Morris was the financier of the American revolution, a whole "Liberty loan" in himself. He carried the colonists through their struggle for independence by handling such funds as the country possessed at the time, but for the most part through his own private credit, which was greater than that of his country. Yet after this unprecedented service to his country he was thrown into the debtors' prison for three years (from 1783 to 1801). He was born on January 29, say some authorities—others on January 31, 1734, at Liverpool, and died in Philadelphia May 7, 1806. He arrived in America when thirteen years old, entered a mercantile house and developed a genius for finance. In 1754 he became a member of a prosperous firm known as Willing, Morris & Co. During the conflict with the mother country he gave all his time and money to help the colonists. Out of his own means he transferred Washington's army from Dobbs Ferry to Yorktown in 1781. That same year he established the Bank of North America—the first bank in the United States with a national character. He was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and was a member of the Continental congress until 1778, after which he went into the legislature, serving during several terms, when he became the superintendent of finance from 1781 to 1784. He was also head of the navy department from 1781 to 1784. At one time he owned half of the state of New York and millions of acres in other states, but the slow development in values and the failure of the Bank of London, in which he had funds, caused his bankruptcy. At the time of his failure he was building a palatial home in Philadelphia, which was never finished, and many of the workmen were paid off by giving them portions of the architecture, which they sold later or built into less pretentious homes. Some of these fine specimens of carving in stone have been bought up and made the motive for planning artistic homes in old Germantown in Philadelphia.

Crew of Lost Steamer Landed.

New York, Feb. 13.—The Norwegian-American line steamship Bergenafjord, which arrived here from Christiania, brought home Capt. Peter Behm and 23 members of the crew of the American steamer Castalia, who were rescued by the Bergenafjord January 12, when their vessel was abandoned off Sable Island in a leaking condition. Three of those rescued died aboard the Bergenafjord and were buried at sea. Four other members of the Castalia's crew were lost when a lifeboat capsized.



MISS EDYTH HUDSON

Women fencers who aspire to championship honors have their opportunity now to meet the American title holder. She is Miss Edyth Hudson, who is meeting all comers at a New York theatre. All the proceeds of her bouts are to go to swell the funds of the War Camp Community, which has had a big part in welcoming, entertaining and caring for returning soldiers and sailors.

MORE YARN ON HAND

Knitters Urged to Get the Balance of Yarn at Headquarters and Finish Knitting

The knitting committee urges the ladies of the city, members of the knitting corps, to call for their quota of yarn at headquarters and use up the same in socks and other goods which must be finished and turned in this month.

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Methodist Divine of Duluth Preached Sunday, Church Was Crowded to Hear Him

BUS FOR HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS

L. H. Mattison, Stationed as Clerk of Quartermaster's Department, Returns to Deerwood

Deerwood, Minn., Feb. 13—Dr. William S. Hodgson, prominent divine of Duluth, spoke Sunday at the Methodist church and it was crowded with members of the congregation and their friends to hear him.

A bus is to be provided for high school pupils in attending athletics and special high school entertainments at Crosby, as agreed upon at the last meeting of the board of education.

Miss Lillian Crowwell, teacher of the primary department of the public school, went to Brainerd to have her eyes attended to by an oculist.

L. H. Mattison is home again and in civilian pursuits. He had served as a clerk in the quartermaster's department in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ernster and their son Manuel were at Brainerd. The Norwegian Ladies' Aid met Friday.

C. W. Potts was at Brainerd on business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCarvill are visiting in Montana.

H. J. Ernster is administrator of the O. J. Carlson estate.

Frederick Southwick, noted baritone, sang in Deerwood Wednesday evening. Mrs. H. J. Ernster, who had been his pupil, induced him to give a concert in the village. Mrs. Walter F. Wieland was the pianist for the singer. The recital was most pleasing and the many friends of the singer attended the concert.

Ed Brand served on the petit jury in Brainerd at this term of the district court.



CHARLES RAY

in "The Law of the North"

At the Best Tomorrow

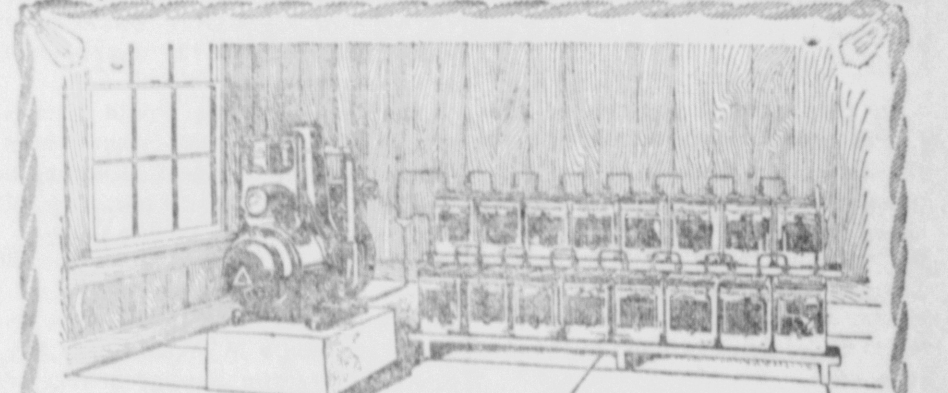
One of the many dramatic scenes in "The Law of the North," the latest picture, featuring Charles Ray, which is to be shown at the Best theatre tomorrow, shows Alain de Montclair, played by Charles Ray, after his return to his home at a Northern trading post to find his father murdered and his sister abducted.

The perpetrator of the crimes was his best friend and the father of the beautiful French-Canadian girl that he loves. His heart torn with anguish, he turns on the girl bitterly, and not until they pass through an ordeal that tests the courage of both, are they reunited.

At the Best Today

In her new starring vehicle, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," which will be shown at the Best theatre today, Marguerite Clark, celebrated as the "sweetest girl in motion pictures," portrays the role of Eva and Topsy, two widely dissimilar characterizations but, which she handles with the skill of the true artist.

This is a splendid pictorialization of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe's famous novel, the publication of which did much to bring on the Civil War and resulted in the emancipation of the slaves in this country. The novel was translated in many languages and in point of numbers the sales of the book exceeded that of any story ever published. The principal incidents of the story are embraced in the photoplay and collectively they form one of the finest picture productions ever made by any motion picture corporation.



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At the Best Tomorrow

One of the many dramatic scenes in "The Law of the North," the latest picture, featuring Charles Ray, which is to be shown at the Best theatre tomorrow, shows Alain de Montclair, played by Charles Ray, after his return to his home at a Northern trading post to find his father murdered and his sister abducted. The perpetrator of the crimes was his best friend and the father of the beautiful French-Canadian girl that he loves. His heart torn with anguish, he turns on the girl bitterly, and not until they pass through an ordeal that tests the courage of both, are they reunited.

Adler-i-ka Again

"Adler-i-ka is the only medicine for gas on the stomach. I never had so much relief with any medicine. I would not take \$25.00 for the relief one bottle of Adler-i-ka gave me. I cannot get done recommending it." (Signed) H. L. Hicks, Ashley, Ill.

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Open sluices of the system each morning and wash away the poisonous, stagnant matter.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise; splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, lame back, can, instead, both look and feel as fresh as a daisy always by washing the poisons and toxins from the body with phosphated hot water each morning.

We should drink, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to flush from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract before putting more food into the stomach.

The action of limestone phosphate and hot water on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast and it is said to be but a little while until the roses begin to appear in the cheeks. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will cost very little at the drug store, but is sufficient to make anyone who is bothered with biliousness, constipation, stomach trouble or rheumatism a real enthusiast on the subject of internal sanitation. Try it and you are assured that you will look better and feel better in every way shortly.

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In these strenuous times of h. c. 1. and opportunities to subscribe to the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., K. C., Armenian Relief Fund and other public charities, to say nothing of the opportunity to invest your savings in Liberty bonds, the proposition to guarantee the safety of bank deposits, is not of much interest to the average citizen.

A bill has been introduced in the legislature to guarantee bank deposits. The safety of bank deposits is not worrying the average newspaper man. What they would like is a bank deposit—they would be willing to take chances on its safety—while it was there.

The bolshevik theory is to take all property for common use—by that they mean their use, and if the owner objects kill him. This is the explanation made of their doctrine to a senate committee by Prof. Samuel Harper, a student of Russian affairs.

Connecticut and New Jersey have refused to ratify the constitutional prohibition amendment, but they will have to go without their booze just the same.

PRAISES Y. M. C. A. WAR WORK

Former President Taft Speaks at Dedication Exercises.

Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—It was a different William Howard Taft from the man setting forth his ideas of a league of nations or helping speed up the war work of the nation that visitors to the formal dedication of the new Y. M. C. A. building heard. It was a jovial, witty Mr. Taft whose chuckle before a funny something he recalled evoked laughs from all his hearers.

Thus it was with one of these moving chuckles that he likened the disgruntled persons who return from abroad disseminating criticism of the Y. M. C. A. to "convalescents who are always disposed to be grouchy."

BRANDS STATEMENTS FALSE

Honey Denies Packers' Witnesses Were Refused Hearing.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Francis J. Honey appeared before the House Interstate Commerce committee at his own request to answer what he branded "misstatements of packer witnesses."

Honey declared flatly he had never denied the packers an opportunity to send witnesses or be heard at the Federal Trade commission hearings.

TWO DIE IN REVOLVER DUEL

Oklahoma Merchant and Employee Kill Each Other.

Texarkana, Ark., Feb. 13.—Standing a few feet apart, A. S. Harvey, aged 66, one of the proprietors of the Garland Mercantile company at Garland City, and F. D. Searcy, aged 33, a bookkeeper for the company, "shot out a quarrel" in the store salesroom.

Both were killed, one with five bullet wounds, the other with six.

Time Will Not Be Extended.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Treasury officials reiterated that there would be no extension of the time for filing income profit tax returns beyond March 15. This applies alike to individual incomes, corporation incomes and profit returns and to similar reports required by the law on that date. Officials denied rumors reaching the treasury that extension might be granted in certain cases for these returns. Additional time may be granted, however, for so-called "information at the source" reports.

BREAKS TWO AUTO RECORDS

Ralph De Palma Shows Some Speed at Daytona, Fla.

Daytona, Fla., Feb. 13.—Ralph De Palma broke the world's automobile records for both a mile and a kilometer in straightaway dashes on Daytona beach. The time for the mile as announced by officials of the Automobile association of America was 24.02 seconds against Bob Burman's record of 25.40 seconds made in 1911. De Palma's kilometer time was 15.86 seconds or two seconds below the record.

TOTS ARGUE FOR NEW SCHOOL LAW

Two little girls, and a mite of a boy, spoke yesterday afternoon before members of the Senate education committee.

Their argument was the multiplication table, the boundaries of the zones and recitation of a few dates in history. When they were through and the committee members were alone again there was a different atmosphere in the room from that usual in legislative committee rooms.

One senator was wiping his eyes, another was telling of a little boy he had once known and the chairman of the committee was warning the other members to come back to serious consideration of other business before them.

The children were pupils at the Webster school department for the deaf. With their teacher, Miss Mabel Rusch, they came before the committee asking that a bill, introduced by Senator Hilding Swanson of Brainerd, be given the approval of the committee.

The Swanson bill would permit any county in the state where there are more than five deaf children to establish a school for their special education and would pledge the state to give \$200 for each such pupil toward the support of the school. Also it would permit children thus afflicted to remain in school until they can complete the regular course of instruction. Under the present law, under which schools are operating in St. Paul and Minneapolis, pupils can only be taught from the ages of 4 to 10 years. After that age they may be sent to the state school at Fairbault.

Parents of the children, a representative of organized labor, teachers in the St. Paul and Minneapolis schools and Mr. Swanson, author of the bill, all spoke in favor of the measure, but it remained for the children to furnish the clinching argument for the bill.

While no definite action could be taken on the matter until further hearing with state educational authorities, members of the committee expressed themselves in favor of the Swanson bill.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

SPINA HOTEL CHANGED HANDS

R. F. Thrall of New York is the New Manager of the Big Hotel in Ironton

MINING COMPANIES PATRIOTIC

Agree to Take Back All Men Called to the Colors—Other Ironton News Notes

Ironton, Minn., Feb. 13.—The Spina hotel has changed hands and the new manager is R. F. Thrall of Buffalo, N. Y., who with his mother took charge. They have had much experience in the hotel business.

Mining companies at a meeting held in Ironton agreed to take back all of their men who had been called to the colors.

Stanish Bros. clothing store was destroyed by fire.

The Moose lodge will give a hard time party on Feb. 14 and a masquerade dance on Washington's birthday.

Isaac Frazer has been appointed meat inspector of Ironton.

The Feigh mine near Ironton is being electrified. The property lies between the Hill Crest and the Mahanomen pits.

Considerable stockpiling is being done at the Joan No. 4 shaft mine. Ralph Villane has sold his tailor business to George Morrison of Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Peterson entertained a number of friends on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ellingson visited in St. Paul.

Miss Islay McCall of Brainerd was a guest of Mrs. George Pease.

Morris D. Polson of Brainerd was at Ironton on business.

Rev. Father Quillen has taken charge of a parish at Biwabik.

John Adlesich, returned soldier, is again with the First National Bank.

WANTS NEW MEXICAN POLICY

Senator Launches Movement for Protection of Americans.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Reports of continued outrages in Mexico against Americans prompted Senator J. H. Lewis of Illinois, democratic whip of the senate, to launch a movement to strengthen the administration's Mexican policy to an extent sufficient to guarantee the safety of American lives and property.

The Illinois senator introduced a resolution calling for the adoption of "such a course as would be appropriate for the United States government to take that will make secure in Mexico, under the present government, the lives and property of Americans."



MARGUERITE CLARK in "Uncle Tom's Cabin"
A Paramount Picture

At the Best Theatre Tonight

NORTHWEST NEWS

State Drainage System

St. Paul, Feb. 13.—Engineers and surveyors of Minnesota meeting here today are expected to play a large part in the reorganization of the state's drainage system affecting the entire Northwest. The Tri-State Flood Control Assn. of Minnesota, North and South Dakota is particularly interested in the three day session of the Minnesota Engineers and Surveyors' association.

Sen. F. L. Cliff's bill for a new drainage system in Minnesota will be discussed in the convention. Sen. Cliff proposes to completely organize the drainage system of the state provide for a survey and a system for definitely defining basins. The bill proposes to do away with the present drainage commission and establish a new body which will devote its entire time to the drainage problem.

Two years ago evidence was presented to the senate drainage committee showing that about sixty per cent of the money spent on drainage in Minnesota was wasted. Sen. F. H. Peterson, Moorhead chairman of the present drainage committee in the Senate said this condition was not wholly attributable to the engineers nor to the lawyers behind the project. He declared however that such waste could be eliminated.

A definite effort on the part of legislators, engineers, farmers, manufacturers and power and development managers is now under way to solve the entire drainage problem.

Minnesota Editor's Meeting

St. Paul, Feb. 13.—Patriotism, good roads, employment, advertising, education and printing problems are slated for much discussion at the fifty-third annual convention of the Minnesota Editorial association a week from tomorrow. Sessions will be held at the St. Paul hotel Friday and Saturday, Feb. 21 and 22.

Mayor L. C. Hodgson will welcome the editors. Vice President Asa Wallace of the Sauk Center Herald will respond as an official of the association.

President A. O. Moreaux of the Rock County Herald, Luverne, will deliver the president's annual address and appoint committees.

Bombs in Coal

Devils Lake, N. D., Feb. 13.—Upon the already over-burdened housewife who aspires to efficiency is added another duty. If she would protect her home from physical danger, she must examine all pieces of coal assuring herself before the same is allowed to be shoveled into the furnace that it is bombless.

A farmer residing near this city was stoking the heating plant one evening and while breaking a hunk of coal to suit it to the size of the furnace door, discovered a stick of dynamite.

French Population Shrinks.

Paris, Feb. 13.—France's civilian population in four years has decreased by considerably over three-quarters of a million, without including the deaths in occupied Northern France nor the losses due directly to the war. Official statistics show that in 1913 the birth rate outnumbered the death by 17,000. But this slight excess disappeared in the following year since which time the deaths have outnumbered the births in 1914 by more than 50,000 and in 1915, 1916 and 1917 by nearly 300,000 in each year.

Doesn't Need Leap Years.

The right kind of girl doesn't need leap year in her business.—Montreal Star.

COMING BACK TWICE, IT'S KID GLEASON

BY H. C. HAMILTON.
 (Staff Correspondent, United Press)
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 CHAPTER I.

Probably the title is wrong, for as a real matter of fact, Kid Gleason came back three times—and each one made a success of the job. But his two comebacks, first as a ball player and then as a manager, are the ones that form the diamond setting to his rough life and are the ones with which the public is mostly concerned.

What baseball fan of the big league variety is there who has not seen Gleason on the coaching line at first or third base for the Chicago White Sox in recent years? It isn't hard to visualize a man of his predominating personality. Trousers bagging down far over his knees, short legs bowing slightly, the famous Kid presents a picturesque figure as he works. His spikes dig at the grass, his head turns quickly this way and that, his eyes snap and his voice barks. First he leans forward intently, hands on his knees, then he suddenly stands erect, his fingers claw at his belt, and as suddenly his hands shoot forward and come together. He shouts at the White Sox and they spring to action on the bases. Then his blue eyes set again and he waits for another opportunity.

That is Kid Gleason, the snappy, commanding hard-fighting product of early baseball days when Charles A. Comiskey has named to succeed Clarence Rowland as manager of the White Sox.

He isn't a big man, this Kid Gleason. He is only an average sized human being, but wrapped up in his average sized body are steel springs. He is one of baseball's most powerful products and he is able to use his great strength to great advantage. A fighter from the time he first entered baseball, he never has left that behind him. A fighter he is today—purely a fighter—and that is the spirit he will carry into the hearts of the White Sox.

His career is picturesque, yet shrouded in deep secrecy. Constantly in the eyes of the fans as a great ball player and as a scrappy one, still Gleason's usages into print have been markedly few. Pictures of him, as a matter of fact, are at a premium. He confessed to the writer a short time ago that he didn't have one of himself and that he didn't remember when a decent one had been made.

"Somehow I just never had it done," he said. "You know how those things are."

It's the same with his baseball days. He likes to talk of the old times when he figured in many an important game with this or that club, but when it gets to a matter of telling about it for publication he almost blushes and declines to speak more than a yes or no.

I recently asked him if he wouldn't consent to tell of some of the battles he had gone through on the baseball field.

"No," he said, his blue eyes twinkling. "It's bad enough to have to do those things sometimes without talking about them afterward." And there the matter rested. He didn't care to rake the ashes of the past and tell of those things if he knew they were to be printed.

(To be continued)

Strength of Bone and Oak.

A very small bone, only one square millimeter—0.0155 square inch—in diameter, will hold 33 pounds in suspension without breaking, while a piece of the best oak of the same thickness will hold up only 22 pounds.

TAKING ALIENS FROM SEATTLE

Immigration Officials Are Preparing to Deport More Agitators.

ALSO ACTIVE AT BUTTE

Preaching of Anarchistic Doctrines in Montana City Also Will Result in Persons There Being Taken Into Custody.

New York, Feb. 13.—Writs of habeas corpus, sought by a group of radicals in an effort to prevent deportation of 49 of the 54 aliens brought to Ellis Island from the West, were issued by Federal Judge Knox.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 13.—More alien labor agitators, Industrial Workers of the World, and persons of alleged Bolshevik sympathies are to be deported from Seattle within the near future, according to a statement by Henry M. White, commissioner of immigration. Several cases are held up in the courts on habeas corpus proceedings, he said, and other cases have been decided. Between 10 and 15, he said would be deported soon.

Butte to Take Same Steps.
 Helena, Feb. 13.—Further preaching of anarchistic doctrines by aliens in Butte will result in steps to deport them as undesirable it was said here by Charles K. Andrews, inspector in charge of the United States immigration office. This was corroborated by E. C. Day, United States district attorney. Federal authorities have been studying the Butte industrial situation.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—The police raided the once busy general headquarters of the I. W. W. and arrested 29 idlers "to see who they were and why they were not working," an official said. Government agents professed no interest in the raid, although the police said the arrests were made with the knowledge of the government. The I. W. W. headquarters have seen little activity since William D. Haywood, the head of the organization, and nearly a hundred others, were convicted of conspiracy and sent to Leavenworth prison last fall.

The activity of the authorities against the I. W. W. was continued by the police after published reports of the alleged conspiracy against the life of President Wilson, and also, government agents said, against W. G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, for which Pietro Pierre was arrested in Cleveland. Pierre, an I. W. W., released last October from Leavenworth penitentiary, had expected to obtain financial aid in Chicago.

SAVES SLACKER FROM DEATH

President Commutes Sentence to Twenty Years in Prison.

Washington, Feb. 13.—President Wilson has commuted to 20 years' imprisonment a death sentence imposed by court-martial on Pvt. Solomon Losofsky, who was charged with having declared on his arrival at Camp Dix that he had no respect for the flag or the country and to have refused to put on his leggings when ordered to do so by his superior officer.

REVIEW RAINBOW DIVISION

General Pershing Will Arrive at Coblenz Saturday.

Coblenz, Feb. 13.—General Pershing will arrive at Coblenz Saturday for a visit of several days.

He will review the Thirty-second and Forty-second divisions, which, according to present plans will be the first two divisions to start homeward, possibly by way of the Rhine.

No date has been set for the departure of either division.

175,000 MEN BROUGHT HOME

About 1,600,000 Americans Remain on Foreign Soil.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Consideration of the \$1,100,000,000 army appropriation bill began in the House. Chairman Dent of the military committee read the reports announced last week by General March, showing that approximately 175,000 men had been returned from overseas and that more than 1,600,000 still are on foreign soil.

OBTAINS AUSTRALIAN WHEAT

Sweden Purchases 12,000 Tons From British Colony.

Melbourne, Feb. 13.—The sale of 12,000 tons of wheat from the government pool to Sweden at \$1.37 a bushel, f. o. b. Melbourne, has been consummated. This makes a total of 112,000 tons of wheat sold by the commonwealth of Australia for export since the beginning of the year.

Supplies for Occupied Zone.

Washington, Feb. 13.—British exporting firms have been authorized by the British board of trade under a general license to supply goods to territories in the occupied region on the left bank of the Rhine. The State department has been advised by Consul General Skinner at London. Under another ruling of the board reported by Consul Skinner, samples or descriptions of export prohibited goods may now be forwarded without license to any non-enemy destination if intended for solicitation of orders.

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NORTHERN CONGRESS OPENS

Eminent Speakers Plead Need of League of Nations.

Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—Eminent speakers pleaded the necessity for a strong League of Nations, and were warmly applauded by 2,000 delegates from four northwestern states, gathered for the opening session of the Northern Congress for a League of Nations, at the Minneapolis Auditorium.

The congress is to be in session for two days, as one of a series to cover the entire country, and follows one just ended in Chicago, under auspices of the League to Enforce Peace. William H. Taft and Frank P. Walsh are among the speakers.

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 * Put Them into Business
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ROY A. CONGER

By the lucky toss of a nickel Roy A. Conger acquired the right to buy for a New York syndicate the greater part of the equipment provided for Great Britain for training Canadian air fighters. The value of the planes and engines was placed at \$10,000,000. This makes him the biggest individual owner of airplanes in the country. It is understood that the planes are to be put to commercial uses and that the syndicate intends to arrange for express and passenger services.

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Notice of Cancellation of Contract.

Notice is hereby given, that default has been made in the conditions of that certain contract made and entered into on the Twenty-fourth (24) day of August, A. D. 1916, by and between Fred M. Koop, owner of the real property herein-after described, and John Frank, purchaser, for the conveyance of the following described real estate, to-wit: The Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, (NE¹/₄ of NW¹/₄) and the North one-half of the Northeast quarter, (N¹/₂ of NE¹/₄), and the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter (SE¹/₄ of NE¹/₄) all in Section number Twenty-four (24) in the Township numbered Forty-three (43), Range Thirty (30), west of the Fourth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, according to the United States Government survey thereof containing 160 acres of land more or less, situated in the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota.

The default made and condition broken is the non-compliance and utter failure to perform that part of the conditions of said contract as follows: "With interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum payable annually on all unpaid balances," it being stipulated that said interest on all unpaid balances should be paid annually and the condition of said contract being, "But should default be made in the payment of any or either of the said several sums of money, or any part thereof, to be by him paid, or in the payment of the interest thereon," and also the failure to pay any part of the taxes assessed against the said property since the execution of said contract. That the amount of interest due and payable at the date of this notice is the sum of Three Hundred Thirty-eight Dollars and Ninety-four Cents (\$338.94), and taxes, if any.

Now, therefore, you, John Frank, are hereby notified that the said Fred M. Koop will terminate said contract at the expiration of Ninety (90) days after the service of this notice upon you unless prior thereto and before the expiration of said Ninety (90) days, you shall comply with all the conditions of said contract in every particular by the payment in full of all moneys due thereon, the costs of the service of this notice, and then and from thereafter your rights in said contract will be forever barred.

Dated November 4th, 1918.

FRED M. KOOP.

W. H. CROWELL, Attorney for Fred M. Koop.

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Eagles and Their Wives on Wed-
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Program of Literary and Musical
Numbers Followed by Turkey
Banquet and Dancing

The sixteenth anniversary celebra-
tion of the local order of the Fraternal
Order of Eagles was a gala occa-
sion, attracting over 200 people, be-
ing Eagles, wives and friends, and
they enjoyed a well balanced musi-
cal and literary program, followed by
a turkey banquet and ending with a
dance in the Eagles hall in the Cit-
izens State bank building Wednesday
evening.

The hall glowed in patriotic col-
ors. Red, white and blue streamers
reached from center of hall to cor-
ners of the room. Large American
flags flashed forth. Near the speak-
er's stand a portrait of Lincoln nest-
led in the folds of Old Glory. Seat-
ing accommodations were taxed during
the giving of the program.

Hon. H. P. Dunn, in his introduc-
tory speech, called attention to the
fact that the Eagles annual enter-
tainment has hitherto always been
given on Thanksgiving eve, but last
year, owing to the influenza epidemic,
it had to be postponed until this Wed-
nesday.

"On behalf of the members of the
order of Eagles I extend a hearty
welcome to the ladies present this
evening and assure them we deeply
appreciate their presence here to-
night, as it proves you are interest-
ed in the welfare of the order to which
your husbands and friends belong,"
said Mr. Dunn.

"The heart of the order of Eagles
is fellowship. The helping hand, the
forgiving heart, the tie of humanity,
the red blood that is common to all
humanity and makes all human-kind
members of the same family—these
are the attributes of the order of
Eagles. In thus promoting closer
human relations and a tender consid-
eration for others, they are working
to lessen 'man's inhumanity to man'
and so they are doing God's work."

"In the great world's conflict so
rapidly drawing to its close, the or-
der of Eagles loyally and faithfully
performed its part in assisting our
government by purchasing Liberty
Bonds, and if memory serves me
right, they were among the first or-
ganized bodies to declare themselves
solidly back of the president when
war was declared, and now that the
great conflict is past we thank Al-
mighty God, and turn the hateful
shadows and gloom of the past to the
bright sunlight of hope in the fu-
ture."

A pleasing baritone solo was sung
by S. F. Alderman and persistent ap-
plause induced him to give an en-
core. Mr. Alderman's singing is al-
ways appreciated.

Rev. Hans Woelner, the new pas-
tor of St. Paul's Episcopal church,
gave his humorous and witty lecture
on 'Facts and Fancies' which proved
a veritable mine of fun, flashing
forth unexpectedly and every point
was well made and not a one was lost.
In philosophical language the divine
described the point of contact theory
and then the actual application of
the same. A delicate vein of stream-
not the heavy kind of Carlisle which
brooked no argument, ran through
the discourse. There were many dry
witticisms mixed in his well of hu-
mor, which bubbled forth contin-
uously. So well did the minister im-
press his audience that later in the
evening he had to tell some more
stories.

At Mrs. W. in the voice and gave
two ballads, the piano accompani-
ment being played by Mrs. Leo Rifen-
rath.

A clarinet solo by E. H. Rehl was
a revelation in his mastery of the
instrument. No better clarinet player
has been heard in the city and his
phrasing, intonation, technique was
wonderful. The accompaniment to
his solo was played by Julius Witham
violin and Miss Cecil Witham at the
piano.

The Imperial quartet composed of
S. F. Alderman, Al Marx, Jno Eys and

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—it's dangerous.
You can't afford to risk
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back if not satisfied. The genuine Cascara Quinine
is made by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

G. S. Swanson sang very acceptably
and received much applause.

Then came the turkey supper. To
avoid confusion, tickets were given
out. The colors, red, white and blue,
signified the order of precedence. The
caterer was Wm. Garvey and with a
large corps of waiters engaged ser-
vice was prompt. The dinner re-
ceived much praise.

During the dinner hour music was
furnished by Julius Witham violin,
Miss Cecil Witham piano and R. H.
Rehl clarinet.

The whole third floor was used by
the Eagles. The large hall housed
the program and dancing, another
hall the dining room, a third room
had card tables in use, a fourth was
used for ladies wraps, another staged
the caterer and assistants.

For the dancing, music was fur-
nished by the Blue Ribbon orchestra
and encores were often asked. The
orchestra was one of five pieces.

The entertainment committee in-
cluded A. P. Drogseth, S. R. Adair,
A. C. Ebert and H. M. Anderson. The
floor committee in charge of dancing
was W. J. Lyons, A. C. Ebert and
Ed. Stallman.

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The reporter was attracted to the
Iron Exchange arcade this morning,
where workmen from Duluth are en-
gaged with J. A. Jackson, contractor
of this city, in removing the large
plate glass of which the arcade and
inside front of Clark's store are com-
posed. The glass is extremely large
and expensive, and expert care is re-
quired in removing them. The change
will give Clark's an added thousand
feet of floor space in the front of their
store and will make their already
large store an immense affair. The
new space will be devoted principally
to a complete line of bicycles which
they will carry, and a new chinaware
and glassware department will be
added. Because of the scarcity of
dishes the past few years a large de-
mand for them exists, and a most
complete line will be carried, there
being 21 different patterns in open
stock.

Space was recently acquired in the
back of the store by tearing out the
rooms formerly devoted to undertak-
ing and the tin shop, the undertak-
ing having been sold out and the tin-
shop removed to the basement. On
the furniture side the new space in
back is devoted to rugs of all sizes,
blankets, quilts, bedding, lace cur-
tains and draperies. A spacious sep-
arate room in back is used for the
receiving of goods and for packing
and shipping to out of town custom-
ers, a large volume of the firm's busi-
ness being done out of town.

The entire basement of the store,
measuring 75 by 140 feet, which is
light and airy, is given over to the
display of stoves and ranges and low
priced furniture. The better furni-
ture is displayed on the first floor.
The reporter was shown a dining
room set and bed room just sold to
a young Brainerd couple. Both were
of genuine walnut and they sold at
a price which would furnish two or
three ordinary homes completely.
The Brunswick phonograph depart-
ment is on the first floor and a large
stock of the instruments is carried.
In the warehouse on Fifth street the
surplus stock of the firm is carried.

The store is a heavy advertiser in
the Dispatch; it believes in truth-
ful advertising and steers clear of
misquoting prices or misrepresenta-
tions. It cheerfully attributes no
small part of its big business to the
pulling power of Dispatch ads.

SOME TAX RATES CLOSE TO BRAINERD

To some people Brainerd's tax rate
of 55 mills may appear big. Here are
some communities near the county
seat:

Walker	36.35 mills
Cass Lake	34 mills
Romer	192.36 mills
Laporte	192.36 mills
Park Rapids	86 mills
Nevis	196.59 mills
Akeley	128 mills

DISTRICT COURT

Owing to Difficulty in Gaining Wit-
nesses Court was Adjourned
to Feb. 24

Owing to the difficulty in gaining
witnesses for court attendance, many
of them being sick, Judge W. S. Mc-
Clenahan adjourned the district court
to Monday, February 24, when it is
expected to resume the criminal cal-
endar.

COUNTY QUOTA AND CITY GIVEN

County to Raise \$10,000, Brainerd
Quota is \$4,000 to Aid Armen-

NATION QUOTA IS \$30,000,000,000

Rev. Hans J. Woelner Heads County
Here and Rev. E. A. Cooke the
City Canvass

Of the \$10,000.00 allotted to Crow
Wing county is its quota for the Ar-
menian and Syrian Relief, \$4,000.00
has been allotted to the city of Brain-
erd and the last week of February
will witness perhaps one of the live-
lies and most interesting drives in
the interest of humanity in the re-
cords of this city.

The announcement some days ago,
that Rev. Hans J. Woelner of the
Episcopal church has accepted the
county chairmanship and that Rev.
E. A. Cooke of the First M. E. church
would be chairman of the city com-
mittee, was received with general in-
terest and appreciation. It is fur-
ther announced that the pastors of
other churches in the city will co-
operate in efforts to put this drive
across in one week's time, and the
public schools will also play an im-
portant part in the campaign.

Strikes the Heart

The fact that 400,000 of these suf-
fering Armenians and Syrians are
little children and the harrowing
tales, backed up by reliable infor-
mation, which come from the stricken
people has touched the heart-strings
of every home-loving American. The
400,000 orphans estimated among
those destitute, will make special ap-
peal to the children of Brainerd, and
little boys and girls who save their
pennies and nickles to help swell the
fund for these little unfortunates,
cannot put their savings to any bet-
ter advantage and will have the sat-
isfaction that every dollar contrib-
uted by them will be handled by the
American committee for Armenian
and Syrian Relief, in a careful and
business-like manner.

The Heart of Roosevelt

The late Theodore Roosevelt, in
speaking of this movement, some
months prior to his death, said:

"With all my heart I wish you God-
speed in the work of relief you have
undertaken in Western Asia. And
particularly do I wish you success in
your effort to raise \$30,000,000, for
the maintenance of the tens of thou-
sands of Christians and the other re-
fugees and sufferers."

A nation-wide campaign to raise
\$30,000,000 is now in progress, this
sum having been fixed as approxi-
mately sufficient to keep the breath
of life in the bodies of these home-
less, starving masses, who are de-
pending upon the American Com-
mittee to save them from inevitable
death.

That Brainerd will come to the
front with it customary liberality in
all such movements, is a foregone
conclusion and the clergymen who
are giving of their time to this work
certainly deserve the support of
the general public.

UPPER MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL SOCIETY

Doctors are arriving in the city to
attend the annual business session of
the Upper Mississippi Medical society,
of which Dr. J. B. Holst of Little
Falls is president and Dr. J. A. Evert
is secretary-treasurer.

There will be the election of offi-
cers. Dr. Evert has announced he
did not wish to succeed himself, but
the members may think otherwise
and vote to retain a conscientious,
obliging officer.

No set program has been arranged
and there will be no scientific papers.
The Chamber of Commerce rooms are
headquarters for the association. In
the evening there will be the dinner
at the Ransford hotel.

AGGIE CAPTAIN OUT

William Molstad, Brainerd Basketball
Star, Will Probably Not Play
Again This Season

(Minneapolis Journal)

William Molstad, captain and
guard on the Aggie quint will prob-
ably be kept out of the game for a
month because of an injured knee.

While he played against St. Thom-
as Thursday he was too lame to keep
up with the speed of the game and
the school physician has advised him
not to play and avoid possibility of
water on the knee.

Men's Club

The Bethlehem Men's club will
meet tonight with H. Wade, 1693
Pine St. S. E.

Hunting Trouble.

When a man is looking for trouble
he doesn't have to go to the dictionary
to find it. He can get it in the tele-
phone directory.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

For Railway Male Clerks (Male and
Female) March 15, at
Brainerd

The United States Civil Service
Commission announces an open com-
petitive examination for railway mail
clerk, for both men and women, to
be held at Brainerd, and other cities
on March 15. Vacancies in the rail-
way mail service, at the entrance
salary of \$1100 a year, will be filled
from this examination.

Competitors will be examined in
the following subjects: spelling, ar-
ithmetic, letter writing, penmanship,
copying from plain copy and geo-
graphy of the United States.

Applicants must be between the
ages of eighteen and thirty-five
years, and must be free from physi-
cal defects. Male applicants must
measure at least 5 feet 5 inches in
height and must weigh at least 130
pounds in ordinary clothing. Female
applicants must measure at least 5
feet 2 inches in height and must
weigh at least 110 pounds in ordi-
nary clothing. The examination is
open to all citizens of the United
States who meet the requirements.

Applicants should at once apply
for Form 304, stating the title of the
examination desired, to the Civil Ser-
vice Commission, Washington, D. C.,
or to the Secretary of the United
States Civil Service board at the
Brainerd post office. Additional in-
formation relative to the examina-
tion may be had from the same
sources.

NEW HEAD STATE SUNDAY SCHOOLS

W. H. Schilling, New Superintendent
of the Association, to Visit
Brainerd Sunday

CO. CHM. DR. JOSEPH NICHOLSON

Mr. Schilling Anxious to Get Ac-
quainted With the County
and Local Situation

Brainerd is shortly to be favored
with a treat along Sunday school
lines when the new superintendent
of the state association will be in the
city for a public meeting. The date
set for the meeting is Sunday after-
noon and evening, February 23, in
the Bethlehem Norwegian Lutheran
church, on Seventh street.

W. H. Schilling is the new superin-
tendent of the association taking the
place of A. M. Locker who has gone
into the international work with
headquarters in Chicago. Mr. Schil-
ling is anxious to come to Brainerd
to get acquainted with the county and
local situation and to meet the allied
Sunday school forces of the various
churches.

The leaders in Sunday school work
here are counting on this mid-winter
convention for a revival in interest
and enthusiasm for the splendid
cause in which they are engaged. The
new superintendent comes with his
recommendations for efficiency and
with a live interest in his task.

The Brainerd district is in charge
of George Berggreen, former city
treasurer, who is now absent in war
service, but his place will be filled
for that evening by Dr. Joseph Nich-
olson, the county chairman.

There will be special music. An
endeavor will be made to make this
one of the most profitable meetings
of this character held in the city.
Many of the city churches will aban-
don their services that full scope may
be given this meeting.

FLOYD HALL

Expresses in Verse His Thoughts on
the War and Its Close, Writes
Parents Mrs. and Mrs. N. Hall

Wagoner Floyd M. Hall of Supply
Company 77, Field Artillery, A. P.
O., 745th Am. E. F., in a letter to
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Hall,
says he is stationed with the Army
of Occupation in Germany. On Jan-
uary 1 he wrote:

"Today is New Year's day. A happy
New Year. I received your letters
yesterday. The package has not come
yet, but I suppose it will come this
week."

The pictures of Tom look natural
and carry memories of the little gray
home in the west. I wouldn't care
if I was there now.

I wrote a verse last night while
doing as many dust, waiting the old
year out in silence. There is very
little news, so will close."

This is the verse:

"There is a mother in that home
So far across the sea,
A mother old and gray
Who prays each day for me.
Through all the war she waited,
While her son was in the strife,
In the war to save Democracy
And the honor of the Stars & Stripes
And now the cannon's roar has ceased
I'm in the Army of Occupation,
Awaiting the signing of peace."

Your new spring garments will require the latest styles in corsets to make them have that made-to-fit appearance. Our corset line is without comparison

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Royal Worcester**

Our Corsetieres will be glad to fit you with one of these corsets and the cost is no more than corsets that do not have the comfort, fit and style features that our corsets have.

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Except Saturdays and Payday

H. F. Michael Co.

"BUSINESS AS USUAL"
will be our motto dur-
ing the progress of the
extensive alterations just
commenced upon our store.

Our urgent need of space to dis-
play the immense new line of
spring goods now in transit to us
has made necessary the removal
of our arcade front. The change will
give us more than a thousand added feet
of floor space, most of which will be de-
voted to our new bicycle department and
chinaware department. Our new chinaware section
will supply a long felt want in Brainerd, and will be
the most complete this side of the Twin Cities.
Twenty-one patterns of dishes will be carried at all
times in open stock, at prices which will compel them
to move fast. These are only further moves toward
our aim to make this a store you can be proud to
trade at

"CLARK'S"
Brainerd's Biggest Store Iron Exchange Bldg.

I was on the front at Chateau Thierry
And also at Verdun.
I was with the boys in action
When word came the war was won.
Oh, what a glorious morning!
Oh, what a happy day!
The boys talked much about home
And mothers old and gray.
There was a murmur in America
Of rejoicing and of prayer
For the safe and hasty homecoming
Of the boys now over there.
May their prayers all be granted,
And their wishes all come true.
There is a day in the near future,
Mother, when I'm coming home to
you.

Didn't think it was in me, did you?
Well, I'm glad it's out. Mack Hall.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

DANCE

K. C. hall, Saturday night, Feb. 15,
9:30 P. M. Tibbett's orchestra. Ad-
mission 75c. Come on! Let's go and
help entertain the Crosby boys."

MANGANESE

Manganese, Minn., Feb. 13.—The
twentieth wedding anniversary of Mr.
and Mrs. D. A. McBride was celebra-
ted in the village by their entertain-
ing a large number of their friends.
The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W.
D. Linneham, Mr. and Mrs. Hanson
of Trommald, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph

Robert, Mr. and Mrs. John Henry,
Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson, Mr. and
Mrs. G. C. Travis, Mr. and Mrs. W.
Laurel, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dinmick,
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lockwood, Mr. and
Mrs. Chas. Friberg.

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If It's So, We Say It.

ANARCHISM PERIL NOW GETS NOTICE

BOLD EXPRESSIONS IN SHADOW
OF WASHINGTON MONUMENT
AROUSE PEOPLE.

ITS GROWTH IS ALARMING

Senators Thomas and King Are Successors of Eugene Hale as Gloom Dispensers in the Senate—Farmers Reassured Concerning Wheat Price.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington.—In a nation like the United States, where the vast majority of the people are contented to go their own way, performing the duties from which they gain a livelihood, and where there is general satisfaction with the form of government and the liberty which is granted under the Constitution, no particular alarm is felt in regard to sporadic attempts at the overthrow of the government and the beneficent institutions of the United States. Thus it has happened that the warnings which have been published from time to time about the growth of anarchism in this country have not attracted any particular attention. In this correspondence some time ago it was noted that the anarchistic or bolshevik sentiment was growing by leaps and bounds and that the mere fact that it promised something new, more active than socialism and more bloody than anything that has yet been offered, was making it attractive to the people of this country afflicted with the disease of unrest. But it was not until the anarchist sentiment was boldly expressed within a stone's throw of the White House and within reach of the shadow of the Washington monument that people woke up to the fact that under the guise of free speech this country was harboring an insidious propaganda which meant its overthrow if the promoters could have their way. But when the country does wake up it is more than likely that it will show these agitators that this is not a fertile field for anarchistic doctrines. It may be necessary for local communities to take this matter in hand, as the movement would have to become of large proportions before the general government would feel warranted in interfering.

The time was, many years ago, when Senator Eugene Hale of Maine, father of the present Senator Hale of that state, was the real gnom of the senate. He was forever making dire predictions. He saw in the demand for an increased army and navy danger to American institutions. The war with Spain and the acquisition of the Philippines he regarded as a step in the direction of imperialism and the destruction of our system of government. The legitimate successor of Eugene Hale in the senate is Charles S. Thomas of Colorado. His lugubriousness has become very pronounced. Like Hale, he sees danger in the vast expenditures of the government. The growth of office-holding, the far-reach-

ing influence of militarism, the spread of anarchism, and many other things cause the Colorado senator to rise in his place and solemnly warn the senate and the country that "the worst is yet to come."

Almost in the same class with Thomas is Senator King of Utah, who is not quite so outspoken but in private conversation sees many rocks ahead for the ship of state. The pessimistic predictions of these Democratic senators sometimes find an echo upon the Republican side, but in the main the senate goes ahead blithely, and usually a very good working majority votes down the propositions of Thomas and his fellow pessimists.

It seems that quite a number of farmers have been somewhat uneasy about the government's guaranty of \$2.25 a bushel for wheat. The subject came up in the house the other day and Chairman Lever of the committee on agriculture, replying to members who said that their constituents were doubtful, said: "You can give them the absolute assurance that so far as the committee on agriculture is concerned there is a unanimous feeling that the guaranty shall be kept. I do not believe that there will be a dissenting voice in the house of representatives against that proposition." In fact there is no real disposition to prevent the guaranty from being carried out, even though it is likely to cost the government well on to two billions of dollars.

Minority Leader Mann and Secretary Baker are having quite an interesting controversy. Mann makes his speeches in the house and Baker replies by letters. Mann reads the letters and then makes his comments. These two men are very well fitted to carry on a controversy of that kind. Both are keen, and while Mann is somewhat impetuous, Baker is complacent, and so the controversy is quite interesting. In the house recently Mann was speaking of the secretary and said:

"Now, Secretary Baker is a fine gentleman, complacent in his style and manner; and when somebody under him tells him that everything is lovely and the goose hangs high, he believes it, I assume. At least he tells us it is so."

That remark was made in regard to the many complaints that have been heard relative to the conditions of soldiers.

Women Busy in 1861.

The activities of women in war work recalls the work of the women during the Civil war in a little village of New York. William H. Shelton, in a reminiscence article in Century, says:

"Our village had a decided opinion about the war, and when the ladies who had played battledore and shuttlecock wanted to do their bit in a Red Cross way they selected the little red cannon house as the scene of their activity. The yellow gun carriage, with its double trail, was wheeled out upon the grass, its brass gun actually pointing south, with the round iron balls hard by in the portable chest, to make way for tables and chairs. Here at fixed intervals the ladies met to make havelocks and pick lint. For the first they brought good cotton drilling, and for the soft lint they scraped the oldest sheets and pillow cases of fine linen from their grandmothers' wedding chests."

DETRIMENTAL TO AMERICAN LABOR

International Standardization of
Wages and Restrictions,
Impossible.

WOULD BENEFIT ONLY EUROPE

Secretary Morrison Asserts That Just Plan Would Be to Establish Standards of This Country in the Rest of the World.

At the headquarters of the American Federation of Labor at Washington it is said that the proposals now under consideration by the British war cabinet looking toward the establishment of an international tribunal to adjust labor conditions possibly as an adjunct to a league of nations, do not meet with favor by the American organization.

News dispatches from London and private advices to labor officials lately have indicated that several such proposals would be presented to the peace conference, and that some of them would contemplate international standardization of wages, and restrictions, making impossible the "sweating" of labor anywhere.

"No one will object to dealing a death blow to 'sweating,'" Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor said, "but I question if American labor will turn its affairs over to an international committee."

"Under such a system, iron workers in America could not improve conditions if their present standards are in excess of the Belgian iron workers, for instance. This would be a good system for the employers of America and England, whose workers are better conditioned than those on the continent."

"The best way to internationalize standards of working people is first to establish American standards. Any other system of internationalization means that the American worker must surrender gains made, or the American worker must postpone further gains until workers in Europe reach his present standard."

"The American worker will accept no such principle, regardless of any decision that may be made at the peace conference."

No Wage Reduction Soon.

That no early reduction of wages of steel workers is contemplated in large industries was indicated by an announcement made at Youngstown, Ohio.

"We do not expect any reduction of wages within six months," said James A. Campbell, president of Youngstown Sheet and Tube company, in an interview. "There ought not to be any before we have a world crop. We have to feed the people of the other side now."

W. A. Thomas, president of the Briar Hill Steel company, said: "We are not going to reduce wages."

Steel plants are reported busy and while a large number of new orders have not been received, deferred orders, accumulated during the war, will keep the industries busy for some time, it is asserted.

Labor Bureaus Merged.

Co-ordination of labor offices, civilian and military, has been effected in Saskatchewan, and the scheme worked out by the Dominion and provincial authorities will be in working order within a few days. The provincial labor bureau has four offices of its own which have been in operation for more than a year, and the Saskatchewan commission for the employment of returned soldiers has eight offices, four of them being located at points where the provincial labor bureau also has offices. Where there is duplication of two offices they are being merged into one. The new system provides for the Saskatchewan commission, having representatives in the co-ordinated employment offices so that the claims of returned men for work will get a preference.

Evil of Child Labor.

If eight hours of toil a day marks the efficient limits of an adult, as has been agreed by the government, all enlightened employers and the labor unions, how much less able is the growing body of a child fitted to endure 10 or 12 hours without permanent injury? To our shame, child labor is on the increase in many cities, even in such an enlightened and typical American community as Indianapolis, according to the federal census; and if the bill pending in congress fails for one reason to become law we may expect a still greater augmentation to the ranks of this pitiable class.—Chicago Evening Post.

Mine Accidents Decrease.

In the anthracite coal regions of Pennsylvania for the first 11 months of 1918 there were 419 fatal accidents inside the mines and 89 outside. For 1917 the number inside was 451 and outside 91. In the bituminous region for the 11 months of 1918 there were 416 inside the mines and 43 outside, while in 1917 the number inside was 424 and outside 37. These figures were announced by the state department of mines. The report says: "The record is an exceedingly good one and is an indication of extraordinary care on the part of the workers, considering the rapidity with which they were required to do their work."

AS TO MEN AND HUSBANDS

According to This Writer There is a Subtle Distinction Between the Two Species.

Immediately after the wedding ceremony many men become dull and uninteresting and turn into husbands, says a writer in Judge. Husbands are all just alike and can be sorted out of any social gathering by the same set expression about the eyes and mouth. It is more trouble to teach a husbando to fetch and carry than a fox terrier puppy, and as a rule the puppy acts much better when there is company around. Husbands wait until some Sunday morning when you have distinguished guests with you for the week end. They burrow in the back of the closet and pull things off the high shelves and go through the rag bag. Then they appear at the breakfast table in the coat of one suit, the trousers of another and a fancy vest, with an inch-wide tie tied in a four-in-hand as a finish.

And when you advertise your horror in a frantic effort to convince the visitors that he is suffering from temporary aberration any and every husband will assume an air of bewildered innocence and say:

"Why, what's the matter with this? It's just what I wear every Sunday morning when there's no one here!"

Husbands always keep the Sunday papers on the floor. No man ever does this until he is married. His mother will not let him.

Husbands read to you the printed recipes they find on the woman's page of the paper. They get enthusiastic about some dish they have always declared they would rather die than eat and say:

"Now, there's an idea for you. Why can't we ever have something like that?"

Women acquire a husband for much the same reason that a man gets a cane. They are a fearful bother, but one presents a better appearance with one in hand.

Many Uses for Gunpowder.

Black powder has been made and used for centuries, and up until a few years ago was the only kind of powder made. While it has been replaced for many uses by high explosives, it is still in great demand. More of it was used in the United States in the year 1917 than in any previous year, as nothing has been found to equal it for the economical mining of coal, blasting of slate, blasting of stone, where it is desirable to get out large unbroken pieces, or in earth blasting, where it is desired to move a mass of earth bodily, and where there can be no danger of igniting dust, gas or fire damp.

HUN SLAVE DRIVE

How Kaiser's Minions Deported Belgian Peasants.

Unfortunate People Herded Along Highways Like Cattle—Dapper Lieutenant Found Much That Was Amusing in Spectacle.

John Lowrey Simpson gives a vivid little pen-picture of a German deportation of civilian Belgians in Century:

"So we slackened pace, rolled by the outlying dwellings, and with a scuffling of brakes slewed around the corner into Waelhem—Waelhem, wrecked in a battle. Up and down the long street, gaunt husks of houses leered gruesome. Perhaps the vacant stare of houses ruined in a battle is distinguishable from the vacant stare of houses ruined out of a battle. I do not know. With the passing of time those more intimate variations of detail from horror to horror weather into the general scheme. Waelhem covered pale under the chill of the morning."

"A little horde of country folk crammed the roadway and shouldered even against the two rows of white houses. On the doorsteps women stood clutching their children, the white tip-toeing to catch a glimpse of what passed ahead. A few stodgy soldiers with fixed bayonets rounded back the crowd into a semicircle; the people on each hand clung to the sides of the buildings as by their nails, and held their ground more obstinately than in the center. Crowds always cling desperately to the sides of buildings. Ahead marched—if the word is not too proud a one—a procession. There are a dozen men, perhaps, laden with bundles and packs, clad in the loose, shaggy stuffs of Belgian peasantry. The inevitable colored mufflers straggled over their shoulders. Their caps were drawn tight, as though to deny the cold. Lugubrious defense, pains to no avail; for the cold crept into their mouths, and one could perceive their breaths, frozen and dead. The scattering of soldiers trudged beside them, gazing sullenly first at their bayonets, then at the file of prisoners. In the van rode two officers. Their horses clattered and fidged, as though to imply that mount, like master, was bored by these people and their troubles—foolish troubles, fables of peasants."

"As the company advanced, a person stood regarding it. He was not attired in rough blouse and sabots. He wore a long gray coat with a fur collar; his feet were compressed in narrow black boots. Steel spurs twinkled at his heels. A jaunty round cap perched on the back of his head, a scant trifle to one side. His mustache was cropped till it might have been molded there on his face. Under his eyes drooped dark, heavy rings. He sported a morsel of braid on each shoulder, and the tip end of a scabbard peeked from under his huge coat. The men lumbered by, and the women pressed closer toward him. He smiled. He was a German lieutenant."

Joy in Homely Happenings.

Curiously enough, as one reads letters and reports that come to one personally, one finds that the interest of our boys in France is centered on the quaint and homely happenings of everyday living. The big certainties—life, death, immortality, God—they joyously take for granted, with their strange, new insight into things spiritual, their prescience of reality; but perhaps for the first time they are realizing every-day joys, know what quiet means, and rest and needed sleep; are aware of the holiness of clean clothing, the exquisite flavor of coarse food, the divine loveliness of dawn, and noontime and night.

And so, having found out about life, they know all there is for us to know about death. Instead of being its strange distinction, death for them has taken on a new splendor, as have the common things of life.

And as to their losing the vision, forgetting—those who live to know back—they may. But they have known reality, those boys, and one does not easily drop into materialism after one has attained that knowledge.—Atlantic Monthly.

Cultivation in Burma.

We who think of Burma as in India must modify our ideas considerably. As a matter of fact it lies outside the Indian region, and owes its connection mainly to its recent history, for as will be recalled Burma was conquered at the expense of India, and in a great measure by the Indians who assisted in garrisoning, policing and constructing its public works. Without this aid Burma's annexation and government would have been exceedingly difficult, for back in the hills of the Irrawaddy valley basin there are still wild tribes scarcely emerged from conditions of savagery, whose chief aim in life until recently was the practice of inter-tribal conflicts and head-hunting. It is to these people the Burmese are connected by racial affinities, though the former have developed amazingly under the influences of civilization, a standard which is high according to the Asiatic code. As a result, the hill tribes are sparse today, and Burmese civilization is on the increase throughout the country.

DAILY HEALTH TALKS

What Doctor Pierce Has Done For Humanity!

BY DOCTOR CRIPPS.

It has always seemed to me that Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., should be placed near the top when a list of America's great benefactors is written. He studied and conquered human diseases to a degree that few realize. Whenever he found a remedy that overcame disease, he at once announced it in the newspapers and told where it could be bought at a small price. He did not follow the usual custom of keeping the ingredients secret, so that the rich only could afford to buy the medicine, but openly printed the name of each root and herb he used. And so to-day the names of Dr. Pierce and his medicines are widely known, and they stand for better health and better citizenship.

One of this great physician's most successful remedies is known as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. These are little, sugar-coated pills, composed of Mayapple, leaves of aloes, root of jalap—things that Nature grows in the ground. These Pellets are safe because they move the bowels gently, leaving no bad after-effects, as so many pills do. Very often they make a person who takes them feel like a new man or woman, for they cleanse the intestines of hard, decayed and poisonous matter that accumulates when one is constipated. If you are constipated, by all means go to your druggist and get some of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They may prove to be the very thing your system requires to make you well and happy.

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Apply Cream in Nostrils To
Open Up Air Passages.

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